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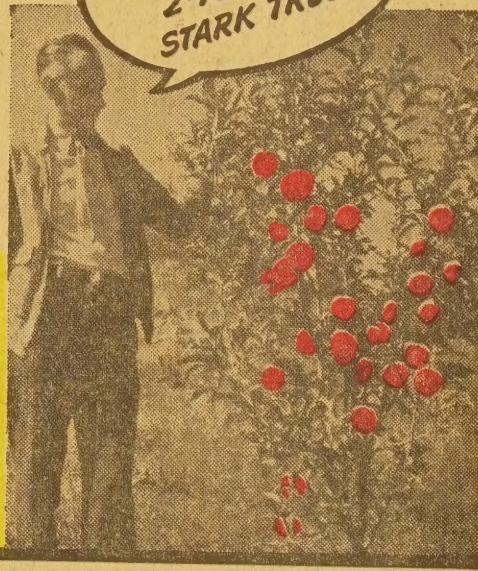
"It is seldom that I have a chance to write a letter thanking a company for their excellent products. For, in these days, it is seldom that you get more than what you pay for.

When I received your letter in answer to my letter asking for prices on pear trees, you stated that you would send me trees that I would like to plant and be proud of. That, sir, is an under estimation in my opinion after looking the trees over. The fact is, anyone would be proud of them. After comparing the trees for size and growth with trees that I bought from nurseries in this state and planted, some of them as far back as two years ago, I realized that I got more than my money's worth from you.

In appreciation for what you have done for me and as a suggestion that might help your sales in the northern vicinity, may I make a remark that you do not seem to stress enough that your trees will grow as good up north here as trees bought from this locality. As far as I can see, they are doing as good —even better than— trees bought from northern nurseries."

John Yanik, Wayne County, Mich.

YES, SIR, FRUIT
FROM SOME OF MY
2-YEAR-OLD
STARK TREES!



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NEWEST MIRACLE IN HORTICULTURE— STARK BRO'S AMAZING NEW DWARFS

HARDIER AND STURDIER THAN ANY OTHER DWARFS

NOW You Can Grow Your Own
Delicious Tree-Ripe Fruit —
!!! Even in Tiniest Back Yard — with
STARK HARDY DWARFS

Giant-Size Fruit **QUICKER** from Trees No Bigger than
a Dining Table. You Can Plant 5 Times as Many Stark
Hardy Dwarfs as Standard-Size Trees in Same Space.
Trees Sold **ONLY** by Stark Bro's.

Dreams of millions of town and city families are
now coming true when they plant Stark Hardy
Dwarf Apple and Pear Trees.

They are picking Giant-Size, Deliciously Fla-
vored, Vitamin-Filled Apples and Pears from
their own trees—even if their yards are tiny ones
that go with 30 or 50 ft. city lots.

DON'T NEED A LADDER TO PICK THEM

Trees are so small, you don't even need a ladder
to pick the fruit and care for trees. Yet strong
and sturdy enough to give you bushels of Big,
Juicy Apples or Luscious Pears all Summer, Fall
and for Winter use if you plant several Dwarf
Trees ripening in succession.

FRUIT IS GIANT SIZE

It's amazing, yet Apples and Pears grown on
Stark Dwarfs are Giant-Size—as Large or Larger
than the same variety grown on Standard-Size
Trees.

SAME DELICIOUS FLAVOR

Apples and Pears are just as good as they are

when grown on Standard-size trees—just as fine
in every way.

BEAR EVEN QUICKER

"Stark Hardy Dwarfs in my father's back yard
are surely amazing," says Harry Guengerich.
"When only 2 years old, they had a nice crop.
This (3rd Year) they are simply loaded."

USE THEM IN A DOZEN PLACES

These Amazing Stark Hardy Dwarfs are so small
they will fit in a dozen places around the yard
—one on either side of the doorway—Wherever
you need a Tall-Growing Shrub.—At corner of
house—in Patio—Trained on Wall or house or
garage, etc., or as a "Vest Pocket Orchard" at 8
to 10 feet apart.

(Commercial plantings 15 to 20 ft. apart)

PROUD OF STARK DWARFS

"I have 4 Dwarf Apple Trees bought of you a
little over 2 years ago and they have had apples
on them two seasons. The Golden Lodi had 52
large apples this year. I am very proud of them."
H. Q. Jones, Miss.

Doctor Picks Apples from 2-Year Dwarfs.

"On March 1950 we planted 8 of your
dwarf apple trees. They made good
growth beyond all expectations. In 1951
they blossomed (some of them heavily)
and 5 of the 8 bore fruit. A Stark Golden
Delicious had 39 apples on it. (15 on
one limb). A Stark Jonared had about
20 apples."

Franklin E. Cutler, M.D.
Lincoln County, Oregon.

300 Apples from Two 2-Year Dwarf.
"February 1949 I purchased from your
firm two Stark Golden Delicious and
two Starking Delicious Dwarf Apple
Trees. Last year, 1950, the Golden's
had a few apple and this season I picked
nearly 300 apples from the two trees. I
am sure pleased with them and they are
a source of admiration by all my
neighbors."

C. J. Pine,
Lake County, Calif.

Stark Dwarf Trees Hardy in Minnesota.
"Last Spring you shipped 6 of your
Dwarf Apple Trees to me. At the time
there was some question in my mind as
to whether they would weather the win-
ter or not. They have come through an
unusually severe winter in fine shape
and look as good or better than our
native trees."

Ferd Kosec,
Goodhue County, Minn.

Pleased with Stark Dwarfs.

"The one dozen Dwarf apple trees sent
me last autumn are all out in leaf and
the dwarf apple trees sent me just a
year ago are in blossom and probably
will bear fruit this year. I am very
much pleased with them."

Fred W. Manning,
Santa Clara County, Calif.

Dwarfs Extremely Popular.

Western New York fruit tree grow-
ers report an unprecedented demand for
dwarf fruit trees. The dwarf trees take
up less room than their standard-size
brothers. In huge suburban housing pro-
jects, where lots are usually small, they
are extremely popular.

Trees Arrived in Excellent Condition.

"Although my order was only a small
one, I received it in excellent condition.
I was very pleased with the care taken
in the packing of the trees to insure
their arrival in a good condition. If the
trees don't grow I can blame nobody
but myself."

Donald L. Marquette,
Delaware County, Pa.



Picking Huge Starking Delicious Apples from Stark
Hardy Dwarf Apple Tree Only 4 Years Old. Stark
Hardy Dwarf Apple Trees Are Grown by New U. S.
Patent Process. Trees are Sold **ONLY** by Stark Bro's.

WHY Stark "Quadruple Life"

Trade-Mark

Process Dwarfs Are
**SUPERIOR TO ANY
OTHER DWARFS**

Four Separate and Distinct Parts

In producing Stark Quadruple-Life Hardy
Dwarf Trees, four separate and distinct parts
are required.

These are grafted by Stark Bro's Patented
Process.

1st Part—Special Nurse-Root French Crab type
seedling grown especially for Stark Hardy
Dwarfs.

2nd Part—The Special SUPER-HARDY Crab is
grafted onto Nurse-Root. This combination
graft is planted extra deep to encourage devel-
opment of Hardy Crab Roots with Extra
Hardy Trunk.

3rd Part—A Hardy Clark Dwarfing Section from
Iowa is grafted on the Special Super-Hardy
Crab Trunk.

4th Part—The desired Stark Record-Bearing
Strain Variety such as Stark Golden Delicious,
Starking Delicious, or Stark Red-Gold, is
grafted on top of the Hardy Clark Dwarfing
Section. This develops into the Broad, Spread-
ing, Well-Branched Top of these Quadruple-
Life Dwarf Trees.

Only from Stark can you get these Quadruple-Life
(Trade-Mark) Hardy Dwarf Fruit Trees.
Stark Process Patented U. S. Patent Office
(Patent No. 2523600)

Home Sold for MORE Because 1-Year Stark Dwarfs Were Bearing.

"The dwarf trees I purchased from
you and planted in my small yard
(16x40 feet) in Washington, D. C., bore
fruit the following year and aided me in
making a nice profit when I sold my
place."

J. G. Bradley.

1-Year Stark Dwarfs in Bloom.

"The one dozen Dwarf Apple Trees
you sent me last autumn are all out in
leaf and the Dwarfs sent me just a year
ago are in blossom and will bear fruit
this year. I am very much pleased with
them."

Fred W. Canning, Calif.

Number of Dwarfs You Need for Any of Following-Sized Plots of Ground— Planting Dwarfs 10 Feet Apart.

10x20 ft.—	6 Dwarf Trees
10x30 ft.—	8 Dwarf Trees
10x50 ft.—	12 Dwarf Trees
20x30 ft.—	12 Dwarf Trees
20x50 ft.—	18 Dwarf Trees
30x50 ft.—	24 Dwarf Trees

For commercial Plantings Plant
15 to 20 ft. apart.

Prices Dwarf Apple and Pear Trees \$4.00 Each

Genuine Stark U.S. Patented Process "Quadruple-Life" Dwarf Trees
Sold **ONLY** by Stark Bro's Nurseries.

Tree-Ripe Fruit All Season. You can lit-
erally eat your way around the season
if you plant a family-size orchard of
Stark Hardy Dwarf Trees. Stark
Dwarf Trees produce fruit exactly
like fruit grown on Standard-size
Trees.

Early Summer Dwarf Apples

A305 Stark Earliest—See Page 6.
A307 Lodi (Early Golden)—See Page 6.

Summer & Fall Dwarf Apples

A313 Summer Champion—See Page 6.
A311 Wealthy, Double-Red—See Page 6.
A314 Stark JonGrimes—See Page 6.

Winter Dwarf Apples

A310 McIntosh, Double-Red—See Page 6.
A306 Stark RedGold—See Page 5.
A303 Jonared—See Page 4.
A315 Northern Spy, Dbl. Red—Page 6.

Late Winter-Keeping Dwarf Apples

A301 Starking Delicious—Trade-Mark.
See Page 5.
A302 Stark Golden Delicious—Trade-
Mark. See Pages 3 and 4.
A304 Scarlet Staymared—Trade-Mark.
See Page 4.

SAVE MONEY — ORDER

New Vest Pocket Assortment No. F-100
"Big 6" Leader Dwarf Apple Trees

Now Only	Regular Price	You Save
\$21.00	\$24.00	\$3.00

- 1 Stark Golden Delicious
- 1 Starking Delicious
- 1 Scarlet Staymared
- 1 Stark RedGold
- 1 Jon-A-Red
- 1 Stark JonGrimes

(If any variety in Assortment is exhausted,
our experts will select one of equal value.)

Dwarf Pear Trees—\$4.00 Each

Described and shown in color on Page 10.

- A320—Anjou Pear
- A308—Bartlett Pear
- A319—Duchess Pear
- A309—Lincoln
- A318—Fame Pear
- A317—Seckel Pear
- A321—Starking Delicious Pear—
\$10.00 Each
(Not over 5 trees to any one customer)



J. L. Baker of Pennsylvania, picking 1/2
bushel of big tree-ripe Stark Golden De-
licious apples from his Stark Quadruple-Life
Dwarf Tree planted in his front yard just
29 months before.

Stark Dwarfs Bear Even Younger

Stark Golden Delicious Apple Tree
Planted April 1950
Started to bear..... Fall 1951
Bore 1/2 Bushel..... Fall 1952

Stark Bro's Nurseries,
Louisiana, Missouri.
Gentlemen:

The two snapshots enclosed are of
a Stark "Golden Delicious" Dwarf
planted in April 1950. The pictures
were taken October 1952. That, if I am
correct, is 29 months. This same tree
had a few apples the year before (1951).
In 1952 I took off a few more than 1/2
bushel. You can observe size from the
snapshot.

A "Lodi" planted the same time had
a peck of fine apples. I believe we
picked them late in July. I am sure
pleased and have recommended Stark
Hardy Dwarf Apple Trees to many of
my friends.

Kindly send me the following—

1 Stark Earliest, Dwarf.....\$4.00
1 McIntosh Double-Red, Dwarf.....\$4.00
1 Northern Spy, Dwarf.....\$4.00
Check enclosed.

J. L. Baker, Pa.

Special Private Preview

"My Starking Delicious Peach Trees Bore Just 1 Year 2 Months After Planting."
H. F. Smith, Ark.

"Ripens Earlier Than Redhaven"

"My 2-Year Starking Delicious trees have ripe peaches on them. I could hardly believe you or Mr. Smith, the originator, when you said Starking Delicious ripens ahead of Redhaven, but it's really so—a whole week or more earlier. In fact it seems to fit in exactly where we need a peach so much."—J. T. Bregger
Ex.-Pres. Am. Pom. Society

Actual Size of Starking Delicious Peach

BE FIRST—BE

New!

A42 STARKING DELICIOUS PEACH

Earliest Yellow Freestone. U. S. Patent. We paid \$10,000.00 for the Original Limb.

To bring you this Earliest-Ripening of All high quality Yellow Freestone Peaches, Stark Bro's paid the highest price on record for any new fruit tree or bud-sport limb. TWICE as much as for the world-famous Stark Golden Delicious Apple Tree! Vivid red-and-gold Starking Delicious Peach, with its luscious flavor and rich golden yellow flesh (Freestone when full ripe) ripens about 36-40 days earlier than ordinary Elbertas; 10 days before Golden Jubilee; 7 days before Redhaven. It has the identical quality and superb flavor of its famous parent, Burbank July Elberta—but it ripens 3 weeks earlier.

Ideal for Eating, Canning, Freezing, Marketing.

PRICES	4 to 6 ft.	3 to 4 ft.	2 to 3 ft.	10 or more Trees
	\$3.75 each	\$3.50 each	\$3.20 each	\$3.50 each
				\$3.20 each
				\$2.95 each

Please Order ALL Nursery Stock by Number and Name

A24. STARKING DELICIOUS PLUM

New Red-Fleshed Plum — U. S. Patent.

A brand-new Red-Fleshed PLUM, so Large in size, so Beautiful in shape and color, with a flavor so Delicious and a tree so Hardy and Heavy-Bearing that Stark Bro's Fruit Experts unanimously voted to add it to our family of top-quality "STARKING DELICIOUS" Fruits. The new STARKING DELICIOUS Plum is Large—often 2 inches in diameter. So glossy Red that it glistens in the sun. Tender red flesh sparkles with ruby-red juice. Wonderful for home yards and gardens—for Eating, Desserts, Canning, Freezing. Should be a Good Shipper and a Profit-Maker for growers. Supply LIMITED this year. Reserve YOURS today! Genuine Trees are Sold ONLY by Stark Bro's.

PRICES

4 to 6 ft. Size	\$4.95 Each
3 to 4 ft. Size	\$4.75 Each

A142. STARKING DELICIOUS PEAR

U. S. Patent. New Giant! Delicious! Most Blight-Proof Pear We've Ever Tested! Trees Sold ONLY by Stark Bro's.

The Pear Sensation of the Century. A Giant in size! Beautiful golden color similar to the famous Anjous of France. Delicious! Rich, luscious flavor even superior to the world-renowned Bartlett. White flesh is tender, smooth, melting, luscious and very juicy—with no grit!

We couldn't make it blight in Stark-Burbank Test Orchards. You will want Starking Delicious Pear—the finest Pear we have ever known. Wonderful for Eating Fresh, Canning, Markets.

PRICES

A142 Standard Size Trees	\$7.50 Each
A321 Dwarf Size Trees	\$10.00 Each
Only 5 Trees to a Customer This Year.	
HONEY DEW HALE—See Page 8	

AMAZING NEW
FRUITS AND
ORNAMENTALS
that win their place beside the Great
STARK WORLD CHAMPIONS
of all time!



Genuine Trees of U. S. Patented & Trade-

STARK GOLDEN DELICIOUS

A Lucky Mountaineer Discovered Gold in a Tree!

—a discovery that is producing more wealth for Americans than ever came out of a gold mine

"I followed a 1,102-mile trail, by bus, horseback and on foot," said Paul Stark, "to pay a mountaineer orchardist \$5,000.00 for the mother tree of Stark Golden Delicious."

"One April day some years ago, three wonderful yellow apples reached us from a West Virginia mountaineer-orchardist who wrote that they were a new, heretofore unknown variety. When my brother, Lloyd C. Stark, bit into one of the golden apples, the flavor amazed him. They looked like Grimes Golden—they were like Grimes Golden—they were like Stark Delicious! They tasted like Stark Delicious! Our experts were summoned. The commotion that resulted was tremendous! That Fall I started on 'The Trail of the Golden Apple' to the farm of Mr. A. H. Mullins, on whose place the golden apple had grown."

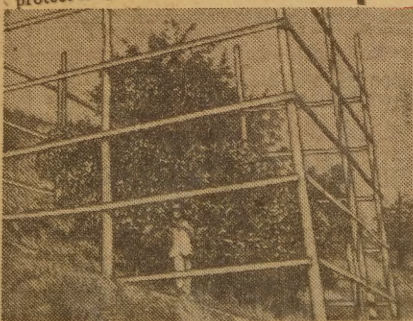
"Back of the house I saw an orchard. But—all the trees I could see were nothing but wild seedlings—miserable runts. Dejected and sick at heart, I turned around to leave—when I SAW IT!"

"There, looming forth in the midst of small, leafless, barren trees, was one tree with rich green foliage that looked as if it had been transported from the Garden of Eden."

"That tree's boughs were bending to the ground beneath a tremendous crop of great, glorious, glowing apples!"

"I started for it on the run. A fear bothered me. 'Suppose it's just a Grimes Golden after all.' I came closer and saw the apples were 50 per cent larger than Grimes Golden. I picked one and bit into its crisp, tender, juice-laden flesh. Eureka! I had found it! The long sought-for perfect yellow apple had been discovered!—The Trail of the Golden Apple had reached a successful end!"

"Before I left I made arrangements to pay Mr. Mullins \$5,000.00 for all rights to this original Stark Golden Delicious Apple Tree and to build a burglar-proof cage to protect it against theft of its buds."



The original \$5,000.00 Stark Golden Delicious tree. Shown here in burglar-proof cage built around it erected to protect it from bud or scion theft

"The Finest Apple In All The

Stark Golden Delicious is the WORLD'S CHAMPION yellow apple. And how it bears! Big, luscious golden fruit has been picked off 2-year trees all over the world.

Whether you plant one tree or a thousand, this gorgeous golden giant will prove to you—bushel for bushel and dollar for dollar—that it is the world's QUICKEST, HEAVIEST bearer.

Extra large, premium size. Rich, cream-colored flesh just bursting with luscious juice—sweet, yet spicy. As juicy as a perfectly ripened pear.

This is the big, sunny-gold, peak-of-perfection apple that will bring you top prices every season. It is always a good, solid, juicy late-keeper—keeps

Greatest All-Around Apple Ever Grown

- "More people are taking to Stark Golden Delicious every year." H. T. Bigelow, Mich.
- "My trees are loaded again this year. They bear every year, even without any other trees to pollinate them." T. Miller, Ohio.
- "Since I started eating a Stark Golden Delicious at bed-time I have thrown all my medicine bottles away." John Sharpe, Mo.
- "I picked 44 bushels from one tree last Fall." J. E. Ulrich, Wash.
- "Quickest, heaviest bearer of all." Lester Chambers, W. Va.
- "My trees bore at 2 years old and haven't missed a crop." A. D. Bouland, Kentucky.
- "Still crisp and juicy in June—9 months after picking." Prof. F. S. Merrill, Mo.
- "I market my Stark Golden Delicious at 50% more than others." A. D. Burgeim, Okla.
- "3 crops from my 5 year trees, even though I am South of the so-called Apple Belt." J. D. Prickett, Ga.
- "My Stark Golden Delicious came through coldest winter in 40 years—ranging from 43 to 55 degrees below zero. Bore 3rd year after planting and 5 year trees produced 3 bushels each." A. H. Ingalls, Quebec, Canada.
- "Ideal for Eating, fine for Cooking—Demand for this apple is ever increasing." Geo. Marsh, Head Fruit Dealers Assn.

Genuine Stark Golden Delicious Trees

PROUD to Grow These Brand New Varieties!

No. A27

STARKING HARDY GIANT SWEET CHERRY

(New U. S. Patent)

Here at last is the giant, hardy, crack-resistant Sweet Cherry that is a worthy hardy team-mate for Stark Gold. Never before have we had two top sweet cherries so hardy they winter through 30° below zero weather safe and sound. And they help each other because they cross-pollinize — work together to give you big crops of the most delicious red and gold sweet cherries you ever tasted.

Starking Hardy Giant trees bear immense clusters of huge, beautiful, luscious cherries—gorgeous dark red, almost purple. The flavor is so full and rich, the flesh "bites" so crisp and firm, you can't get enough of this superb eating! Ripens to tremendous size in mid-cherry season—only 2 to 3 weeks after strawberry time. Produced astonishingly heavy crops even where sweet cherries have never borne before. The champion Red Sweet Cherry for Eating, Cooking, Canning, Market, NNCS.

PRICES 4 to 6 ft. \$4.95 each; 10 or more trees \$4.75 ea.
3 to 4 ft. \$4.75 each; 10 or more trees \$4.50 ea.

(Below) Starking Hardy Giant Cherry. "I picked 23 apple-boxes full of big sweet cherries from original tree of Starking Hardy Giant in a single season."
—Mrs. O. R. Myers, Wisc.



A40. HONEYDEW HALE PEACH

See Description and Prices on Page 8

A38 JUN-BERTA PEACH

Trade-Mark

New. Very Early Yellow Clingstone.

A limb Bud-Sport of Fair's Beauty, 10 to 14 days earlier—rich, deep red over golden orange. Beautiful! Smooth, sweet and juicy. No bitterness. Ripens 6 weeks ahead of Elberta. Eating fresh, Canning, Freezing. Keeps, Ships well. NCS.

PRICES

4 to 6 ft. \$2.75 ea.; 10 or more Trees \$2.45 ea.
3 to 4 ft. \$2.45 ea.; 10 or more Trees \$2.20 ea.
2 to 3 ft. \$2.20 ea.; 10 or more Trees \$1.95 ea.

A119. Early White GIANT PEACH

New, U. S. Patent. Earliest Ripening Big, Luscious White-Fleshed Freestone

At last you can know the palate-tempting enjoyment of fine Freestone peaches earlier in the season than ever before. Big, luscious, creamy-white peaches, chock-full of delicious juice.

Easy to grow in your own back-yard. A profit maker for local markets. Early White Giant comes to you in all its flash-white, plus mouth-watering flavor — about 48 days before Elberta. NCS.

PRICES

4 to 6 ft. \$2.75 ea.; 10 or more Trees \$2.50 ea.
3 to 4 ft. \$2.50 ea.; 10 or more Trees \$2.20 ea.
2 to 3 ft. \$2.20 ea.; 10 or more Trees \$1.95 ea.

A118. Golden Early BIRD PEACH

U. S. Patent

New Extremely Hardy Earliest Yellow Semi-Freestone. Bright red blush over deep yellow. Luscious flesh is a rich, clear, clean yellow. Medium size. Very fine when fully tree-ripe. Best of its season—7 weeks ahead of Elberta. For the Home, Roadside and Local Market orchard, even in sections where few peaches thrive. NCS.

PRICES

4 to 6 ft. \$2.75 ea.; 10 or more Trees \$2.50 ea.
3 to 4 ft. \$2.50 ea.; 10 or more Trees \$2.20 ea.
2 to 3 ft. \$2.20 ea.; 10 or more Trees \$1.95 ea.

BE THE FIRST
in Your Neighborhood
To Grow These
Fabulous NEW FRUITS
—Amaze Your Friends!

Know the Thrill of
EATING, COOKING,
CANNING, FREEZING
these "Grand Prize"
Fruits from Your
Own Trees!

SAVE MONEY—
Make EXTRA Money
Growing Luxury Fruit
Right In Your
Own Back Yard!

Give Your Family
The HEALTH of
Vitamin-Filled
Home-Grown Fruits

Add New BEAUTY
to Your Home
—New VALUE
to Your Property!

Apple Ripening Chart

Apple Ripening Chart on Page 6 is a handy guide in selecting Apples to ripen in succession all season long.

Peaches, Cherries, Plums, Pears, Grapes are also listed in Ripening Order.

Marked Varieties In This Book SOLD ONLY by STARK BRO'S

—AMERICA'S QUICKEST, SUREST AND HEAVIEST BEARING APPLE

World" Declared Luther Burbank

till the next crop of apples comes along. Eat it fresh, and you'll never get enough of its crisp, juicy goodness. In Stark Golden Delicious you've got a winner for wonderful, rich apple sauce; full-flavored apple butter; fragrant, mouth-watering pies that fill the whole house with appetizing fragrance. Women, especially, prize Stark Golden Delicious for all kinds of salads, because it stays fresh and tempting long after cutting. Rich in vitamins and minerals—a delicious way to keep the doctor away.

Perfection for Eating, Cooking, Canning, Processing, Market. Bears quick. Bears unusually heavy crops in North, Central, South.

\$52 Crop From Single 7-Year Stark Golden Delicious

Recently Carl Kirn, of Calhoun Co., Ill., sold over \$4,000.00 worth of fruit from just 9½ acres—all Stark Trees, planted on hilly land—land too steep for ordinary farm crops.

His greatest profits came from Stark Golden Delicious, Starking and Young-Bearing Jonathan Apple Trees. Some Stark Golden Delicious trees bore 20 Apples at 2 years old—a good crop at 3 and 4 years, and every year since. He says that his 7-year-old Stark Golden Delicious Trees bore 15 bushels and cashed him \$52.00 per tree, and he sold his entire crop of Stark Golden Delicious and Starking Delicious for \$3.50 a bushel while still on the trees.

"Unbelievers Came for Miles to See Stark Trees Bearing at 2 Years"

"I would rather give you FIFTY DOLLARS for one of your trees than ten cents for a tree of any other company, and I bought from most of them."

"Burbank July Elberta bore 2 bushels of peaches the second year."

"Stark Golden Delicious Apple bore the second year—the only apples around here. Also had cherries on Stark Gold Tree the second year."

"People wouldn't believe me when I told them. So they came for miles around to see for themselves."—Alfred F. Langlais, Massachusetts

PRICES

A2 Stark Golden Delicious Apple Trees

	EACH RATE (1 to 9 Trees)	10 RATE (10 to 49 Trees)
5 to 7 ft. size....	\$2.75 a tree	\$2.50 a tree
4 to 5 ft. size....	2.50 a tree	2.20 a tree
3 to 4 ft. size....	2.20 a tree	1.95 a tree

If you want 50 or more Trees
Write for Special Prices.

Stark Golden Delicious Apple Trees are Available both in Standard and Dwarf Size Trees.

Actual Size Stark Golden Delicious (Trade-Mark) Apple

Even Newspaper Reporter is "Stumped" to Describe Its Glorious Flavor

(From Baltimore Sun)

Attending a Horticultural Show our reporter was handed a huge, gold colored Apple and told "Here, try one of these."

This apple was clearly something special, and our correspondent, whose respect for anything edible is terrific, approached it with care.

First, he examined it—turning it this way and that to admire its opulent form, its delicate coloring.

Then, he smelled it—inhaling its rich fragrance with pleasurable anticipation.

Then, reverently, he sank his teeth into it. This apple, as he tells us, was a far cry from the ordinary apple of the marts of trade. It had a firm and agreeable texture, crisp but melting; the flavor was sweet beyond belief, and spicy acidity. He says there is no English word to describe such glorious flavor, but the French would say it had "un gout relevé."

"That is a Stark Golden Delicious," he was told when he had eaten this delight-giving apple—famous for its flavor and for its fast-bearing."

Are Sold Only By Stark Bro's

These are

Prices on
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Actual
Size
Stark
Golden Delicious
(Trade-Mark)

The "BIG SIX"

STARK GOLDEN DELICIOUS

Trade-Mark

Stark Golden Delicious
fully described on
Pages 2 and 3.

SCARLET STAYMARED

Trade-Mark

The Supreme Stayman Winesap! Bears Quicker. Flaming Red All Over Weeks Sooner! Stays Crisp and Juicy All Winter

Stark Bro's paid nearly \$1,000.00 a foot for the original limb and tree of this most valuable of all the great Stayman Winesap Family! A glossy, fiery, all-over-red, with spicy, juicy, crisp flesh of "sweet but tartish" flavor. Scarlet Staymared makes handsome eating right off the tree. Champion cooks prize it for mouth-watering pies; for cobblers, dumplings just oozing with juice; for tangy apple butter and crystal-clear jelly. And for sparkling, zingy cider, it beats all other Staymans ever known. A brilliant red 30 days ahead of ripening time. One of the **biggest** of all apples.

So distinctive in its flashing red color and giant size, it was awarded a U. S. Patent. Bears young, with enormous crops. For **Eating, Cooking, Cider, Market.**

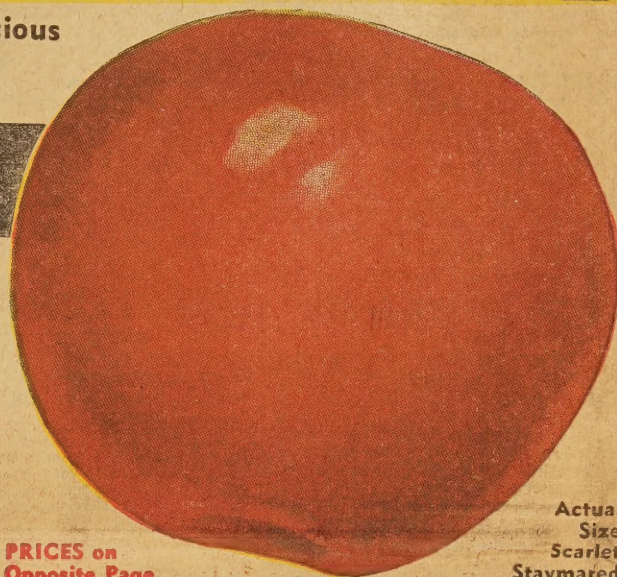
"Weighed 22 Ounces"

"We had Scarlet Staymareds that weighed 22 ounces each."—Frank Tracey Ohio

"And How It Bears"

"Some of our 6-year Scarlet Staymared trees bore 14 to 16 bushels each."—Rising Springs Orchard, Ill.

PRICES on
Opposite Page



Actual
Size
Scarlet
Staymared
(Trade-Mark)

JONARED

Trade-Mark

Supreme—New Super Jonathan—Colors Sooner, and Keeps Longer and Bears Quicker Than Jonathan

The big, new apple that **IMPROVES** on all of Jonathan's famous good points—and does away with the old Jonathan weak points! Jonared (for which the original tree cost us \$2,000.00) is the **ONLY** red Jonathan sport to win a U. S. Patent! Turns bright, all-over-red color about 2 weeks sooner—ready to pick while still solid, before there's risk of loss through dropping. Fine pollinizer.

Jonared has all the wonderful, prized Jonathan flavor; it's big and almost **TWICE** as red—a bright, solid blazing red without one sign of stripe! One of the most beautiful of all red apples, Jonared's rich, spicy, tangy flavor makes it a delicious and handsome fruit for your Home Orchard and a premium-price profit builder in every section. In great demand for **Eating, Cooking, Cider, Market**. Trees thrive in North, Central, South.

"\$10.00 Worth Per Tree From 4-Year-Olds"

"I wish you could have seen my 4-year-old Jonared trees this year. They bore nearly \$10.00 worth per tree."—John Cruttenden, Illinois.

"Jonareds Sold For Twice the Price"

"Jonared made a good crop of fine colored all-over-red apples that sold for twice the price of regular Jonathans."—John Widner, Mo.



Actual
Size
Jonared
(Trade-Mark)

PRICES on Opposite Page

STARK Double-Red ROME BEAUTY

Trade-Mark

Stark New Double-Red Rome Beauty is the Largest, Reddest Strain. World's Best Baking Apple

The triumphant answer to the demand for a big, flashing all-over-red Rome Beauty Apple that keeps firm and juicy all winter long. One of the latest keepers of all apples—in good condition when apples come again. Hotels and Restaurants eagerly pay premium prices for Stark Double-Red Rome Beauty Apples for appetizing Baked Apples, Pies and Desserts. Popularity is growing every year as growers acclaim it one of the surest, youngest bearers and biggest money makers! Trees Thrive North, Central, South.

"One of Most Valuable of 50 Varieties"

"I am sending you sample of Stark Double-Red Rome Beauty, one of the most valuable of 50 varieties. Good pollinizer. Annual bearer—commencing at young age. One of the best keepers. So attractive it sells well."—L. I. Clinton, N. Y.

"Best Red Rome"

"Your Stark Double-Red Rome Beauty is best of all Romes tested here. Uniform in size and the color is always perfect."—W. S. Blair, Supt. Dominion Farms, Nova Scotia.

"Late Spring Bloomer—Skips Frosts—Bears Every Year"

"Very best apple for this climate. Bears annually. Blooms late and frosts do not greatly affect its bearing qualities."—F. M. Jones, Santa Fe Co., New Mexico.

"Brings Highest Prices"

"I planted the first Stark Double-Red Rome Beauties in Colorado. Am now getting \$3.00 to \$3.50 a bushel."—W. S. Coburn, Colorado State Board of Horticulture.



Actual
Size
Stark
Double-Red
Rome Beauty
(Trade-Mark)

Genuine Trees of the "BIG SIX" Apple Leaders of the World are Sold ONLY by Stark Bro's, Louisiana, Mo.

Leaders of the Apple World!

STARKING DELICIOUS

Trade-Mark

America's Most Valuable, Most Deliciously Flavored Red Apple

Here is the **FINEST** red apple in the whole wide world! — the shining, solid-ruby-red giant that glows on the counters of the highest-price luxury stores in America and floods the air with its wine-like perfume. Here is the **MASTER** apple that puts the crowning glory on the nation's most expensive baskets of fruit—the "dream" eating apple prized above all others in deluxe clubs, fine hotels and restaurants throughout the land. The apple which has **NEVER** been equalled for magnificent color, mammoth size, crackle-crisp flesh, deeply exciting sugar-'n-spice flavor as tantalizing as the fragrance of an old-fashioned garden!

And this is the apple, the matchless **STARKING DELICIOUS**, that **YOU** can grow right in your own back yard!

For commercial growing, Starking Delicious is the world's most popular and most profitable red apple. In the past 25 years this one variety has built some of the greatest fruit fortunes in America. Because it turns full-red before it ripens, it can be picked crisp, for late keeping—becomes "money-in-the-bank" for you weeks sooner—keeps perfectly right through the Winter months. All ready to cash in on fancy Spring prices long after ordinary apples have disappeared from the market. The world's finest red eating apple. Tops in all quality markets. America's best red money-maker, producing big money crops everywhere—North, Central, South.



"THEY PUT ME ON EASY STREET"

(Photo at left)

"When I planted 250 Starking Delicious Apple trees I was heavily in debt on a small farm, but in a short time these trees began to bear and in no time at all they put me on 'easy street'—making me \$3,000.00 to \$6,000.00 per year. Not a bad income for an old man 80 years old. When I say apples, I consider Starking Delicious the finest in the world."—J. E. Parish, Calif.

"BORE 4 TIMES WHAT I EXPECTED"

"Last year I harvested a big crop of Starking Delicious Apples. I was never so gratified in the quantity produced, the excellent color and size of the fruit and also in the price—\$3.70 a bushel right at the orchard.

"When I first started to pick these Starking Delicious I thought I would have about a carload—500 bushels—but I picked four cars of them, totaling 2,000 bushels.

"When the buyer had his last bushel loaded on the truck he patted me on

the back and said 'I sure got a bargain in those apples—you should have got \$4.00 for every bushel of them—because every bushel of them is Extra Fancy'."—Paul Ringhausen, Calhoun County, Illinois.

"SAVED US DURING DEPRESSION"

"I have 165 trees of Starking Delicious purchased from you which really saved the day for us during depression years. This small block (2½ acres) grossed me \$17,330.00 the last 6 years."—A. Miller, Ore.



Actual Size
Starking
Delicious Apple
(Trade-Mark)

"Got \$5.00 a Bushel for My Apples — \$2,229.80 from 2 Acres of Stark Trees"

Walter H. Atherton of N. M. told us that he sold a \$2,229.80 crop from his 2 acres of Stark Apple Trees this year. He said his local stores paid him \$5.00 a bushel for his No. 1's and that each tree bore over \$30.00 worth of fruit.

10 BU. FROM 7-YEAR TREE

"About 7 years ago I planted 2 Starking Delicious and 2 Stark Golden Delicious trees. They bore the 4th year and this year my best Golden Delicious had 10 bushels. My Starking Delicious were not quite so prolific, but I had plenty that measured 12" in circumference.

"Mississippi may not be an apple state, but if anyone will plant Stark trees and care for them, they will never be disappointed."—Douglas D. Weeks, Miss.

\$1,020.18 Worth of Apples From \$2.50 Stark Tree

"In 1921 my father and mother sent you their picture standing beside a 3-year-old Stark Golden Delicious apple tree bearing 1½ bushels of big golden apples.

"Here is a picture of me standing beside that same tree in 1948 from which my son has just picked over 19 bushels of big, juicy apples. We estimate that we have harvested about \$1,020.18 worth of Apples from this one tree that cost my father only \$2.50. I might add that we were very conservative in making this estimate."—A. Johnson-Mapes (Daughter Albert Johnson, Ore.)

Also Available in **STARK HARDY DWARF TREES**

PRICES "Big Six" Apple Trees

Please order by name and number.

		EACH RATE (1 to 9 Trees)	10 RATE (10 to 49 Trees)
A2 Stark Golden Delicious			
A1 Starking Delicious			
A4 Scarlet Staymared			
A3 Jonared	5 to 7 ft. size	\$2.75 a tree	\$2.50 a tree
A6 Stark RedGold 50c a tree Extra	4 to 5 ft. size	\$2.50 a tree	\$2.20 a tree
A8 Stark Dbl. Red Romie Beauty	3 to 4 ft. size	\$2.20 a tree	\$1.95 a tree

If you want 50 or more Trees, Write for Special Prices

STARK REDGOLD

U. S. Patent

NEW—U. S. Patent Apple—Red Hybrid of Stark Golden Delicious—Rivals Its Parent in Flavor and Young Bearing. We Paid World's Highest Price of \$7,500.00 for This Amazing Apple!

Weeks ahead of Delicious, and before Jonathan reaches prime eating condition, you can smack your lips over the pure deliciousness of Stark **REDGOLD**! This new apple sensation blends the rich Starking flavor and spicy tang of Stark Golden Delicious. And its trim shape, flashing solid scarlet color, make it so beautiful you'll be proud to say it grows on your property!

When other apples are still too tart or starchy to eat, RedGold—the first high-quality winter dessert apple to develop full

flavor—will be ready for you to pick. Bears amazingly young. Just 13 months after first test graft was set in our Test Orchards, RedGold bore its first fruit. Late spring bloomer, sure bearer.

Stark Bro's gladly paid the famous originator, Mr. F. A. Schell, \$7,500.00—a World's Record Apple Price—for sole ownership of this sensational variety. You'll see why when you raise RedGold for Early Eating, Roadside and Holiday Markets! **NNCS.**



Actual Size
Stark RedGold
Apple
U. S. Patent

If You Want 50 or More Trees, Write Our Wholesale-Commercial Dept. for Special Quantity Prices.

How to Select Varieties to Keep Getting Fresh

You Can Have Fruit All Year 'Round

By planting varieties ripening in succession, you can easily give your family the joy of tree-ripened fruit all season long—plenty for eating fresh; for mouth-watering pies, dumplings, tarts, sauce, desserts; for a pantry filled with sparkling jellies, jams and canned fruits and for a fruit storage overflowing with juicy big apples all winter long. Yes, and all this at almost no cost to you!

A Steady Cash Income can be yours, too, if you can supply fruit throughout the season. Roadside Markets, Trucks, Local and City Markets eagerly pay premium prices for full-flavored, well-grown, tree-ripe Stark World's Champion Apples, Peaches, Cherries, Apricots, Pears, Plums, Grapes and Berries.

How to Use Ripening Chart

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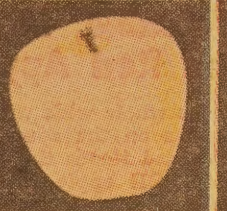

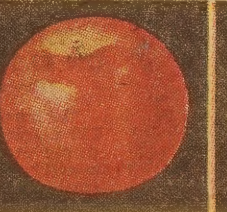

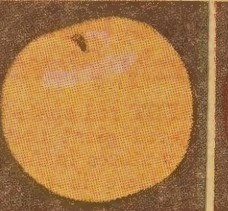

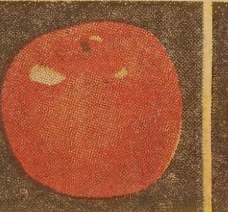





Apple varieties shown in color on the Chart (below) and described below have been chosen by experts as the best of their type and season of ripening from over 6,000 known Apple varieties. They are pictured in order of their ripening season—Earliest to ripen first, followed by other Early Summer, Summer & Fall, Winter and Late Winter Keepers. All Winter Apples are good keepers—Late Winter Keepers stay crisp and juicy until late Spring.

*** or ** Starred Varieties Are Very Best of Their Type and Ripening Season.
NCS—means Apple succeeds North, Central, South.
NNCS—means Apple succeeds Far North, North, Central, South.

APPLE RIPENING CHART — Stark World's Champion Apples Pictured and Described

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*** or ** Starred Varieties Are Very Best of Their Type and Ripening Season

Best EARLY SUMMER Apples	Best SUMMER and FALL	Best WINTER Apples	Best LATE WINTER KEEPERS
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 <p>***Early Red Bird NNCS</p>	 <p>***Summer Champion NCS</p>	 <p>**McIntosh, Double-Red NNCS</p>	 <p>***Starking Delicious NCS</p>
 <p>*GOLD ONE</p>	 <p>***Wealthy, Double-Red NCS</p>	 <p>**Grimes Golden "Double-Life" Hardy Tree NCS</p>	 <p>***York-A-Red NCS U. S. Patent</p>
 <p>*Yellow Transparent NCS</p>	 <p>***Stark Jon-Grimes NCS U. S. Patent</p>	 <p>***Stark RedGold, New U. S. Patent NNCS</p>	 <p>***Stark Golden Delicious NCS</p>
 <p>***Lodi, Early Golden NNCS</p>	 <p>**Stark Florence Crab NNCS</p>	 <p>***Jon-A-Red NCS</p>	 <p>***Scarlet Staymared NCS</p>
 <p>*Early McIntosh NNCS</p>	 <p>**Virginia Crab NNCS</p>	 <p>*Cortland NNCS</p>	 <p>**Turley Winesap NCS</p>

Follow This Apple Ripening Chart

Each variety shown is the best of its type and season of ripening. Every variety grown from a Stark Record-Bearing parent — the best strain known.

STARK EARLY SUMMER APPLES

A201 Stark Earliest** — New. U. S. Patent 642. — Now Stark Bro's can offer their customers the apple for which we have been searching for many years! An apple that ripens as early as cherries—and is really good to eat right off the tree. Stark Earliest is a strikingly handsome apple with a flashing crimson cheek. It was picked in our orchard at the same time as the Gold Cherry crop last year. Can be picked over a period of two or three weeks (almost an "everbearing" apple) — is ideal for home orchard and roadside market and should be an excellent shipper.

Medium size—larger than Transparent—with scarlet red color that strikes the eye clear across the orchard. Flavor is mild and pleasant—good to eat right off the tree—not acid like other early apples. Fruit ripens about a week to 10 days before Yellow Transparent is ripe. Stark Earliest is by far the earliest apple in our Test Orchards. Cooking, Eating, Market. Available in both Standard and Dwarf Trees. Patented, Introduced, and Trees sold ONLY by Stark Bro's. NNCS.

A5 Early Red Bird***—Trade-Mark—Very Early fiery red apple that should be in every Home Orchard to give the family extremely Early apples for Eating fresh, tempting pies, cobbler, dumplings and apple sauce.

And it's just what the Early Market Apple Grower wants for big profits! Often brings double the price of Transparent and is blight resistant. Fine for Cooking and Markets in all sections. NNCS.

A9 Yellow Transparent—Very Early. Crisp white flesh. Juicy, slightly sub-acid. Sometimes blights. An old favorite for Cooking and Local Markets. Lodi is better. NNCS.

A200 Lodi, Early Golden***—Very Early. Sprightly rich flavor makes Lodi, Early Golden a top favorite in the kitchen for mouth-watering pies, desserts, cobbler, dumplings and sauce. It's good for eating, too, when fully ripe. NNCS.

A225 Early McIntosh—Same beautiful crimson color, tender, crisp, juicy white flesh of McIntosh—ripe about 6 weeks earlier than McIntosh. NNCS.

STARK SUMMER & FALL APPLES

A204 Summer Champion** — Trade-Mark — Best Summer Apple. Large. Bright red. High quality. Keeps and ships well. Tree Hardy. Quick bearer. Best of its season for Home and Commercial Orchards. Ideal for Eating, Cooking, Market. NNCS.

A203 Stark Jon-Grimes** — U. S. Patent — New "Frost-Proof" Apple. Won First Prize at Stark-Burbank Fruit Show! A big, beautiful late Summer Apple — with stripes of flashing red that gives it a striking appearance on the trees and markets. Flavor so tantalizingly different that one apple makes you reach for another — medley of Jonathan spiciness and Grimes Golden Sweetness—its golden flesh is crisp, firm and juicy. A wonderful apple for Eating and for Cooking too! Ideal for Home, Roadside, Local and Commercial Orchards. NCS.

A202 Wealthy, Double-Red*** — Trade-Mark — Best Fall Apple. Brilliant, flashing red—twice as red as old Wealthy. Medium to large. Quality superb. Wonderful wine-like flavor. Tree hardy. Bears extremely young and every year. Best of its season for Eating, Cooking, Cider, Market. NNCS.

A205 Stark Florence Crab**—Best Red. NNCS.

A206 Virginia Crab**—Valuable. Extremely Hardy. NNCS.

A207 Dolgo Crab — Solid Red. Fine Ornamental. NNCS.

STARK WINTER APPLES

A10 McIntosh, Double-Red** — Beautiful crimson. Tender, juicy flesh is crisp, delicate—almost snow-white. Tree long-lived. Hardy. Bears quick. NNCS.

A7 Grimes Golden, Double-Life** — (Trade-Mark) — The famous, spicy Grimes Golden Apple—for over 50 years a quality favorite. Possesses an alluring flavor that is surpassed by only one yellow Apple—Stark Golden Delicious.

Stark "Double-Life" Process prevents collar rot and results in a tree that lives far longer and produces many more apples. Stark "Double-Life" Grimes Golden Trees are Trade-Marked and Sold ONLY by Stark Bro's. NCS.

A6 Stark RedGold*** — U. S. Patent—NCS.—Page 5.

A3 Jon-A-Red***—Trade-Mark—NCS.—See Page 4.

A211 Northern Spy, Double-Red**—New. Bright all-over-red color has been added to all the good points of Northern Spy. Large. Flesh crisp, firm and juicy. Good for eating. Ideal for cider and pies. Trees vigorous, hardy. NNCS.

A219 Cortland — A Late McIntosh. Larger, brighter red. Flesh is firmer and just as juicy. For Eating, Cooking, Cider, Market. NNCS.

STARK LATE WINTER KEEPERS

A1 Starking Delicious***—Trade-Mark—NNCS. Page 5.

A8 Rome Beauty, Double-Red** — Trade-Mark — NCS. — Page 4.

A208 York-A-Red** — U. S. Patent—Solid red. Great favorite with commercial growers. Fruit large, crisp, firm. Very late keeper and wonderful shipper. Tree vigorous, Hardy Heavy Bearer. NCS.

A2 Stark Golden Delicious*** — Trade-Mark — NNCS. — Page 3, 4 and 5.

A4 Scarlet Staymared*** — Trade-Mark—NCS. Page 4.

A220 Turley Winesap** — Giant Winesap. Better flavored. Deep red. Keeps till late Spring. NCS.

A11 Stark Winesap** — New Red Strain. Late Winter Keeper. A colorful improvement of the popular Winesap Apple. Rich wine flavor. Bears big crops. World-famous late-keeping winter apple, which is growing in popularity in the East, Central West and far West as orchardists learn how to grow this big red apple to perfection. Good for eating with its wine-like flavor. Fine for Pies, Cobbler, Sauce, Canning and Market. NCS.

Trees of All U. S. Patented and Trade-Marked Varieties Above are Sold ONLY by Stark Bro's

Tree-Ripened Fruit all through the Season!

PRICES APPLE TREES CRAB APPLES

Stark Exclusive "LEADER" Apple Trees

Record Bearing Strains	EACH RATE (1 to 9 Trees)	EACH RATE (10 to 49 Trees)
5 to 7 ft. size.....	\$2.75 a tree	\$2.50 a tree
4 to 5 ft. size.....	2.50 a tree	2.20 a tree
3 to 4 ft. size.....	2.20 a tree	1.95 a tree

STARK WORLD'S CHAMPION APPLES

- A2 Stark Golden Delicious*****—Trade-Mark World's Best
- A1 Starking Delicious*****—Trade-Mark. Young Bearer. Later Keeper. Fine Flavor.
- A6 Stark RedGold*****—New Brilliant Red Golden Delicious Hybrid. (U.S. Pat.) 50c Ex.
- A3 Jon-A-Red*****—Trade-Mark. Amazing New Red Jonathan "Sport"—Colors Quick-er. Avoids drop.
- A4 Scarlet Staymared*****—(Trade-Mark) Flashing Red Stayman Winesap
- A8 Rome Beauty*****—Stark Double-Red (Trade-Mark) Best Red Baking Apple.
- A201 Stark Earliest*****—New (U.S. Pat.) Ripens With Cherries. 50c Ex.
- A203 Stark JonGrimes*****—New. (U.S. Pat.) Extremely Hardy. Never Fails.
- A208 York-A-Red*****—U.S. Patent. Fine Cooker. Winter Keeper.

Dwarf Apple Trees listed and priced below

Stark "SELECTED" Apple Trees

Record Bearing Strains	EACH RATE (1 to 9 Trees)	EACH RATE (10 to 49 Trees)
5 to 7 ft. size.....	\$2.20 a tree	\$1.95 a tree
4 to 5 ft. size.....	1.95 a tree	1.70 a tree
3 to 4 ft. size.....	1.70 a tree	1.45 a tree

Listed in order of Ripening, earliest first, etc.

- EARLY SUMMER**
- A5 EARLY RED BIRD*****
- A9 Yellow Transparent***
- A200 LODI (Early Golden)*****
- A225 Early McIntosh***
- WINTER—Continued**
- A7 GRIMES GOLDEN "Double-Life" (T.M.)****
- A211 North. Spy. Dbl. Red****
- SUMMER**
- A204 SUMMER CHAMPION*****
- FALL**
- A202 WEALTHY, Dbl. Red*****
- LATE WINTER**
- A219 Cortland***
- A246D STARK DELICIOUS (Trade-Mark)****
- A220 Turley Winesap****
- A11 WINESAP, All Red Strain****
- A10 McIntosh Double-Red****

Names in Heavy Black Type above are Exclusive Strains which are SOLD ONLY by Stark Nurseries at Louisiana, Mo.

If 50 or more Apple Trees are Wanted—write Stark Bro's Commercial-Wholesale Department for Special Quantity Prices.

Prices Stark CRAB APPLE Trees

Record Bearing Strains	EACH RATE (1 to 9 Trees)	EACH RATE (10 to 49 Trees)
5 to 7 ft. size.....	\$2.75 a tree	\$2.50 a tree
4 to 5 ft. size.....	2.50 a tree	2.20 a tree
3 to 4 ft. size.....	2.20 a tree	1.95 a tree

- A206 VIRGINIA****—Red. Fine for jelly, cider.
- A205 STARK FLORENCE****—Makes beautiful Red Jelly.
- A207 Dolgo***—For pickles, preserves, jelly—pink blooms
- A216 Whitney***

Stark HARDY DWARF APPLE TREES

PRICE - - - ONLY \$4.00 a Tree

Genuine Stark U.S. Patented Process "Quadruple-Life" Dwarf Trees Sold ONLY by Stark Bro's

Early Summer Dwarf Apples

- A305 Stark Earliest**—U.S. Patent. Earliest, good quality Apple to ripen.
- A307 Lodi (Early Golden)**—Very Early. Extra Hardy. Large.

Summer & Fall Dwarf Apples

- A313 Summer Champion**—Best Late Summer Apple.
- A311 Wealthy, Double-Red**—Extremely Hardy. Bears young, heavily
- A314 Stark JonGrimes**—U.S. Patent. New. Extremely Hardy. Never fails

Winter Dwarf Apples

- A310 McIntosh, Double-Red**—Extra Hardy.
- A306 Stark RedGold**—U.S. Patent. New Red Hybrid of Stark Golden Delicious.
- A303 Jonared**—Trade-Mark. All-over-red Improvement of Jonathan.
- A315 Northern Spy, Dbl. Red**—Extremely Hardy.

Late Winter-Keeping Dwarf Apples

- A301 Starking Delicious**—Trade-Mark. World's Best Red Apple. Bears young.
- A302 Stark Golden Delicious**—Trade-Mark. World's Best.
- A304 Scarlet Staymared**—Trade-Mark. Flashing Red Stayman Winesap.

"BIG 6" Leader Dwarf Apple Trees

Vest-Pocket Assortment No. F-100

Now Only	Regular Price	You Save
\$21.00	\$24.00	\$3.00

- 1 Stark Golden Delicious 1 Stark RedGold
- 1 Starking Delicious 1 Jon-A-Red
- 1 Scarlet Staymared 1 Stark JonGrimes
- (If any variety in Assortment is exhausted, our experts will select one of equal value.)

All These New Fruits Patented, Trade-Marked—Sold ONLY by Stark Bro's.



Famous Wilder Medal, Most Coveted Award of Fruit World, Won by Stark Golden Delicious and Starking Delicious

—Top Award of Fruit World

What the Supreme Court is to the United States Law the American Pomological Society is to fruit and horticulture—the final, highest authority. This Society has occupied this eminent position for 105 years.

This great body of scientists and horticulturists gave to Stark Golden Delicious and to Starking Delicious the highest tribute ever granted an apple. Stark Golden Delicious is the only yellow apple in all the world to receive this great tribute.

STARK RESEARCH

Started in 1816—Continuing to this Day—Brings You Fruits of Fabulous Size, Beauty and Flavor. Hardier, Healthier Trees and Plants that Bloom and Bear Younger and Heavier.

• Variety Improvement. Stark Testing and Improvement Program has produced the "Finest Fruits of Our Times"—the King and Queen of Appledom, Starking Delicious and Stark Golden Delicious—the Great Burbank July Elberta Peach, the finest peach in any season, and now the Honeydew Hale that promises to raise White-Fleshed Peaches from apparent oblivion to a new peak of popularity. These and many other Famous Exclusive Stark Varieties have come from the Stark-Burbank Orchards.

• Before a New Variety is offered to Stark customers it is thoroughly tested in Stark-Burbank Test Orchards in Missouri, Illinois, Arkansas, Oklahoma, and by co-operating Experiment Stations and Leading Growers throughout America.

• Stark Research Develops New and Improved Methods of growing trees and plants. A recent improved method of

controlled size Dwarf Fruit Trees has been awarded a Patent by the U. S. Patent Office.

• Stark Research is Pioneering and Co-operating closely with Federal and State Horticulturists in the selection and propagation of CERTIFIED Strains of Fruits—disease-free stock for more productive and profitable orchards.

• A COMBINATION Ready-Mixed Spray which makes it easy for anybody to control practically all insects and diseases and grow top quality fruit has been developed by Stark Research.

• Horticulturists and Hybridizers in Europe, Africa and the Orient co-operate with Stark Bro's on an exchange of new and better varieties of the entire world.

• Power Machinery Designed Especially for Nursery Stock cultivation, spraying, digging, etc. has been developed. Stark Patented Tree Digger goes down deep and gets all the roots.

• Special Service Department solely for the benefit of Stark customers is maintained by Stark Research to help them grow bigger and better fruits, flowers, roses.

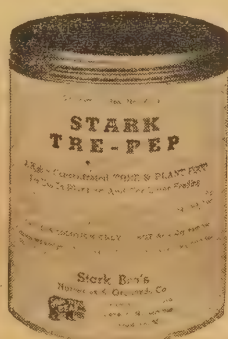
STARK TRE-PEP STARTER

(Trade-Mark)

FERTILIZER

(FOR USE WHEN TREES ARE PLANTED)

Gives Quick, Vigorous Start to Your Young Trees and Plants. Fine for Trees, Shrubs, Roses, Berries, Vegetables, House Plants, etc.



Just add one tablespoonful of this Concentrated Plant Food to one gallon of water and pour into hole on dirt as you plant Fruit Trees, Shrubs, Roses, etc. It will start quick growth and stimulate Young Bearing.

Stark TRE-PEP is also wonderful for Vegetables and House Plants. You will be amazed at the quick response of your Plants in larger, more brilliantly colored and more profuse blooms. Just pour around plants on top of ground or mulch.

1½-lb. Package of Stark Tre-Pep makes 37 Gallons of Liquid Fertilizer.

PRICES	1½ lb. Package.....	\$1.75
	5 lb. Package.....	\$5.50

Postpaid—Please send cash with order.

Stark Borer Spray kills Tree Borers.

½ lb. \$1.55, enough for 10 large trees

HOW TO SELECT VARIETIES FOR BEST CROSS-POLLINATION AND HEAVIER BEARING

Many fruit varieties need some other variety growing nearby so that the blossoms may be cross-pollinated, otherwise they will not bear fruit as heavily as they should. Check each kind of fruit carefully below and be sure you have ordered enough different varieties of each kind of fruit to insure heaviest production in your orchard.

APPLES. Be sure you have at least 2 or 3 different varieties of apples in the same orchard or in your neighborhood. **PEACHES.** Most peach varieties are self fruitful and will bear by themselves; however, to assure larger crops it is usually safer to plant at least 2 other varieties. **PEARS.** Be sure to include at least 2 pear varieties. **CHERRIES.** Sour cherries or pie cherries are self-fruitful but be sure you include at least 2 varieties of sweet cherries, one of which should be strong pollinizer like Black Tartarian Improved or Stark Gold. **PLUMS.** Use several varieties of plums if possible, at least 2 different varieties. **APRICOTS.** All our apricots are self-fruitful. **GRAPES.** Plant 2 or more varieties of grapes.

STARK ORCHARD FERTILIZER

(FOR USE ON ESTABLISHED TREES)

Spectacular Tree Growth, Increases Crops Up to Double in Yield, Improves Size and Quality of Fruit.

Here is a New Concentrated Fertilizer especially made for bearing trees. It is high in Nitrate—Powerful. A little goes a long way. Only ¼-lb. to each inch of diameter of trunk of tree. You can actually see the trees take on new luster. Foliage becomes a richer green in color and growth is greatly increased. **MORE FRUIT—LARGER FRUIT—HIGHER QUALITY FRUIT** result when you feed your bearing trees STARK ORCHARD Fertilizer.

FOR BEST RESULTS, scatter on ground under the trees just before growth starts in Spring. Or for immediate results on Apple Trees, dissolve in water and spray on foliage.

Quicker Tree Growth—Bigger Fruit—More Fruit Sooner When You Use STARK ORCHARD Fertilizer.

PRICES

POSTPAID. Please Send Cash With Order.

5 lb.	\$3.05	15 lb.	\$6.95
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IT'S FUN! IT'S EASY TO SPRAY WHEN YOU USE

STARK'S NEW COMBINATION SPRAY

JUST ADD WATER—THAT'S ALL

IT'S EFFICIENT... IT'S SAFE... IT'S EASY TO USE

Full Directions on Package. 1 lb. will spray 25 1-year trees; 12 3-year trees; 6 5-year trees for the entire season (5 applications) when applied with a hand sprayer.

All the ingredients needed for complete protection are already mixed in Stark COMBINATION Spray—just add water.

PROTECTS ALL KINDS OF FRUITS AND TREES

Stark COMBINATION Spray protects both the tree and fruit from insects and diseases—Apples, Peaches, Cherries, Plums, Pears, Grapes. Also excellent for Flowering-Shrubs, Shade Trees, Roses and other Ornamentals.

LARGER FRUIT—BIGGER CROPS

Bigger crops of large size, clean, sugar-sweet, tree-ripe fruit from your own trees can now be yours when you protect your trees and fruit with Stark COMBINATION Spray, which combines 4 highly effective and safe chemicals in one Easy-to-Use Spray. No longer do you have to carry a Drug Store in your basement. No longer do you have to measure out a teaspoonful of this and an ounce of that—it's already mixed for you in Stark COMBINATION Spray.

"NOW It's Fun to Spray"

"I didn't spray with anything but Stark Combination Spray and it sure does the work. I take people out to see the big, fine red apples. I can grow fine apples and you can, too, if you use Stark Spray"—J. P. Jackson, Ill.

"It is the best spray we have found and would use no other—saves time, eliminates waste."—Mrs. Anna T. Medlin, Va.

"I can't say enough about Stark Combination Spray. It is very important to the home fruit grower."—John E. George, Ohio.

"I used to dread to spray even the few trees I have. NOW it's fun!"—Jos. Resnik, Ind.

"It is the best spray I have ever used. I sold some to my neighbors and they liked it, too. It did the work."—C. W. Schraeder, Wis.

"It saves time, money and, best of all, it saves fruit."—Mrs. Ida Gibbs, Texas.

"The EASIEST spray material to use that's available."—H. T. Waller, Va.

"It's the finest all-around 4-way spray. Fine for trees and fine for fruit."—Beatrice M. Forsythe, N. Y.

"It enabled me to win First Prizes on all varieties of Apples I entered at Lamar Fair."—Chester Bateman, Mo.

"It makes the spray program a pleasure."—A. W. Kadel, Iowa.

"It couldn't be easier, more convenient or quicker to use."—Robert Wilking, Ill.

Stark COMBINATION Spray is so concentrated it takes very little to make enough liquid spray to do the job—½-lb. package makes 8 gallons of liquid spray. It costs only about 7c for enough material to spray a 5-year bearing Apple, Peach, Plum or other fruit Tree.

PRICES

Stark Combination Spray, Postpaid (Please send Cash with Order)

½-Lb. Package.....	\$1.80
1½-Lb. Package.....	\$3.75

SAVE on Case Lots

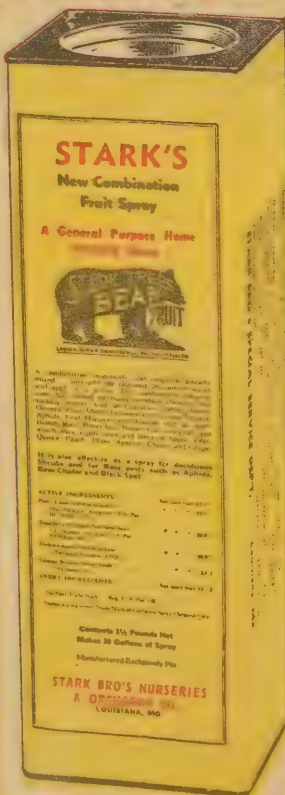
Case of Six ½-lb. Packages (Regular Ea. Price \$10.80).....	\$9.00
Case of Six 1½-lb. Packages (Regular Ea. Price \$22.50).....	\$18.75

STARK FRUIT & FLOWER DUST For those who prefer Dusting to Spraying, we recommend Stark New Combination Dust

PRICES—Postpaid

1 Lb.	\$1.70
5 Lbs.	\$5.25

Stark Combination Spray and Dust are products of Stark Home Orchard Research. They are Developed and Distributed Exclusively by Stark.



1½-lb. package of Stark Combination Spray makes 24 gallons of liquid spray.

AMAZING NEWER, BETTER STARK-BROBANK PEACHES

You Can Grow Them to Undreamed-of Size, Color, Delicious Flavor

Peach Trees are Dwarfish Growing and can be planted along with Stark Dwarf Apple and Pear Trees in Small Space.

A50 HAL-BERTA GIANT Trade-Mark***

World's Largest Yellow Freestone Peach. Many Weigh a Pound Each.

"Hal-Berta Giant is unquestionably the greatest peach of all time," declared R. H. King, famous Peach Grower. At 4 years original tree of Hal-Berta Giant produced 6 bushels of giant-sized peaches — many weighed a pound each.

- **Colorful** — Its almost Fuzzless skin is Golden Yellow blushed with Vivid Red. Luscious firm flesh is Golden Yellow. A perfect Freestone.
- **Giant Size** — World's Largest Yellow Freestone Peach — many weigh a pound or more each.
- **Honey-Sweet Flavor** — Same exquisite flavor that won for Hale the name "Million Dollar Peach."
- **Ripens Mid-Season** — 7 days after Elberta.
- **Excellent Shipper** — Goes on the market in beautiful eye-appealing condition.
- **Hardy** — Thrives in all Peach-growing sections — North, Central, South. Plant with Starking Delicious, Burbank July Elberta or Stark Early Elberta for bigger crops. Young, heavy bearers. Often bears at 2 years.
- **Uses** — Marvelous for Eating Fresh, Desserts, Freezing, Canning and bigest money-maker on the market.

A48 STARK EARLY ELBERTA Trade-Mark***

THE SUPREME Yellow Freestone Peach of its Season. The Favorite All-Purpose Peach. "Most Beautiful and Most Perfect Peach" "Finest Home Canning Peach"

- "Favorite Freestone Peach with Commercial Canners" — These are just a few of the many letters of praise which come to us from all over America about Stark Early Elberta — Genuine Summer Gleason Strain.
- **Colorful** — Pure Golden Yellow, with glorious Vivid Red Blush. Thick, luscious Golden Yellow Flesh. A Perfect Freestone.
 - **Most Delicious Flavor** — Acclaimed "The Most Deliciously Flavored of all Peaches." Luscious, Juicy, as sweet as nectar with no bitterness.
 - **Ripens Early** — About 7 days before Elberta.
 - **Wonderful Shipper** — Test shipment traveled 11,500 miles without refrigeration. Peaches still in good shape.
 - **Uses** — Perfect for Eating Fresh, Desserts, Ice Cream, Cobblers, Pies, Freezing and the Favorite Freestone Peach for Home and Commercial Canning. Brings top prices on the market.

A42 STARKING DELICIOUS PEACH U. S. Patent***

First to Ripen of All Top-Quality Yellow Freestone Peaches.

- To bring you the enjoyment of this Earliest Ripening, Top Quality, Yellow Freestone Peach, Stark Bro's paid \$10,000.00 for Starking Delicious. It is a true Bud-Sport of Burbank July Elberta. Exactly like this nation-wide favorite for Eating, Freezing, Desserts, Canning, Markets. And ripe, ready to eat 3 whole weeks before Burbank July Elberta. 36 days before Elberta.
- **Colorful** — Vivid Red over Golden Yellow skin. Luscious, Yellow Flesh. Freestone when fully ripe.
 - **Large Size** — Individual peaches often measure 3 1/2 x 3 1/2 inches.
 - **Exquisite Flavor** — Super-delicious, Rich, Sweet, Juicy like its wonderful parent—Burbank July Elberta.
 - **First to Ripen** — Earliest Ripening of all top quality Yellow Freestone Peaches.
 - **Hardy** — It thrives in North, Central and South. Blooms late and resists Spring frosts. Bears big crops — often starts to bear at 2 years.
 - **Uses** — "Most Wonderful Peach of All" for Eating Fresh, Freezing, Canning, Desserts. Brings top prices on the Market.

Genuine Trees of Above U. S. Patent and Trade-Mark Peaches Sold ONLY by Stark Bro's.

PRICES

Genuine Stark Record-Bearing Stark Trees are Sold ONLY by Stark Bro's Nurseries & Orchards Co. Largest Nursery in the World — at Louisiana, Missouri since 1816.



Symbol of Highest Quality Fruit Trees, Shade Trees, Flowering Shrubs, Roses, etc. for over 137 Years.

STARK BRO'S "SUPER 6" LEADER PEACHES

We Offer You - - - - Assortment No. 8 - - - - for ONLY \$12.75
Regular Price \$17.00 — YOU SAVE \$4.25

1 Tree Each of Stark "SUPER 6" Leader Peaches, listed in order of ripening:
Starking Delicious — Burbank July Elberta — Stark Early Elberta — Honeydew Hale — J. H. Hale, Stark Red Strain — Hal-Berta Giant. Ripening in succession, they give you luscious, tree-ripe Peaches all summer long.

Complete List of STARK PEACHES Listed in Order of Ripening

Stark Very Early Peaches

A119 Early White Giant New U. S. Patent***

Earliest Ripening Big White-Fleshed Freestone. At last you can know the palate-tempting enjoyment of fine Freestone Peaches earlier than ever before. Big, luscious, creamy-white peaches, chock-full of delicious juice.

Easy to grow in your own back yard. A profit-maker for local markets. Escapes most pests. To insure top size thin fruit to 5 inches apart 3 weeks after blooming. Early White Giant now comes to you in all its flashing beauty of fiery red, splashed over rich white—plus mouth-watering flavor—as the first of all Freestone Peaches to ripen — 48 days before Elberta. Ready to eat right after cherries and before any other Freestones are ripe. For Eating Fresh, in a wonderful Peaches-and-Cream combination, for delicious desserts, you will want to grow your own family supply of these giant peaches. Heavy Bearers and Sold ONLY by Stark Bro's. NCS.

A118. *Golden Early Bird, U. S. Patent. New Earliest Yellow Freestone. Bright red blush over golden yellow. Luscious flesh is a rich, clear, clean yellow. Medium size. Very fine when fully tree ripe. Best of its season—7 weeks ahead of Elberta. For the Home, Roadside and Local Market Orchard even in sections where few peaches thrive. NCS.

A38 Stark Jun-Berla U. S. Patent

Resembles Elberta Queen (Above). New, Large, Very Early-Ripening Yellow-Bud-Sport of Fair's Beauty—10 to 14 days EARLIER. LARGER. Better, Sweeter Flavor. Semi-cling. Ripens 6 weeks ahead of Elberta. Fine for Eating, Canning, Freezing. NCS.

A100 Stark Sure-Crop New U. S. Patent

Hardest Peach Known. Largest Very Early Cling. The earliest big, red-skinned, white flesh cling with super-quality. Excellent to can.

Stark Sure-Crop is a big, brilliant, red-skinned peach with thick, firm, juicy, white flesh — an excellent canning and shipping peach for the very early high-priced markets. A home Orchard and Roadside Market favorite, ripens over long period, about 2 weeks. Hardest White Cling of its season, about 40 days before Elberta. Eating, Canning, Preserving, Pickles, Market. A sure-cropper—even when others fail. NCS.

A111. Dixiegem. Very Early. Stark's New Large Strain of Dixiegem. Yellow Freestone. Ripe week ahead of Redhaven. Delicious. Firm. Fine Shipper. Ideal for Eating, Freezing, Canning, Market. NCS.

A106. *Radhaven. New. Extremely early yellow Freestone. Fine flavor. Fiery red. Ripe 30 days before Elberta. NCS.

Stark Early Peaches

A41. *Golden Jubilee. Clear, bright yellow. Very large, oblong shape. Delicious flavor with no bitterness. Fine for Home and Local Orchards. 25 days before Elberta. NCS.

A117. *Eureka Hardy. Delicious red, White-flesh Freestone. Iron - Clad Hardiness. Ripe about 30 days before Elberta. NCS.

A104 Fairhaven***

Early Ripening Yellow Freestone. This new hybrid cross between J. H. Hale and South Haven has produced one of the finest peaches ever introduced by the famous fruit hybridizer, Stanley Johnston, of So. Haven, Mich. Experiment Station.

Fairhaven combines the firmness, shipping ability and beautiful coloring of J. H. Hale with the reliable hardiness and heavy bearing characteristics of South Haven. Flavor is even more delicious than that of either parent. This is the perfect peach to fit into your harvest leaving Starking Delicious and Burbank's July Elberta. An annual bearer, even under adverse weather conditions. Fine for Eating, Cooking, Canning, Freezing, Market. NCS.

A102. *Rochester. Super-Hardy. Large Yellow Freestone. Juicy, rich, sweet. Market. NCS.

A160. *Stark Early, Same. Described in "Fuzzless Peach" Panel at left.

A47. *Burbank Flaming Gold. Pictured and described at right.

Stark Mid-Season Peaches

A44. *Halehaven. Yellow Freestone. Larger, more beautiful, stronger skin, less tendency to cling than South Haven. Ripe 12 days before Elberta. NCS.

A39. *Belle of Georgia. Best Mid-Season White Freestone. Large, showy peach. Delicious. Splendid shipper. One of best. NCS.

A161. *Burbank Flaming Gold. Pictured and described in "Fuzzless Peach" panel at left.

A155. *Champion. White Freestone. Juicy flesh. Too soft to ship but excellent for Home and Local Market Orchards. NCS.

A48. *Stark Early Elberta. Illustrated and described at left.

Golden Elberta Cling Trade-Mark

World's Finest Canning Yellow Clingstone

Does your family love Canned Peaches big, sunny halves that glow like molten gold? Then plant Golden Elberta Cling. This firm-fleshed, Mid-Season Clingstone is the finest, most delicious Canning Peach the world has ever known. Superb for eating fresh, too. Resembles Stark Early Elberta; same marvelous color, and super-quality. "Our most pleasant surprise was Golden Elberta Cling" writes Willis D. Witter, Md. "It is a beautiful large peach, excelled by none in flavor." Eating, Canning, Market. Trees Sold ONLY by Stark. NCS.

PRICES

Stark "SUPER 6" LEADER Peaches			
All Trees Genuine Stark Record-Bearing Strains	EACH RATE (1 to 9 Trees)	10-RATE (10 to 49 Trees)	
4 to 6 ft. size.....	\$2.75 a tree	\$2.50 a tree	
3 to 4 ft. size.....	2.50 a tree	2.20 a tree	
2 to 3 ft. size.....	2.20 a tree	1.95 a tree	

U. S. Patented and Trade-Marked Trees Sold ONLY by Stark

Other New Stark Exclusive Peaches			
All Trees Genuine Stark Record-Bearing Strains	EACH RATE (1 to 9 Trees)	10-RATE (10 to 49 Trees)	
4 to 6 ft. size.....	\$2.75 a tree	\$2.50 a tree	
3 to 4 ft. size.....	2.50 a tree	2.20 a tree	
2 to 3 ft. size.....	2.20 a tree	1.95 a tree	

Write Wholesale Dept. for prices on 50 or more.

Stark Peach Trees Are So Husky and Hardy They Often Start to Bear at 2 Years. Planting Instructions FREE with Each Order.

A47 BURBANK JULY ELBERTA Trade-Mark***

A Sensation Wherever Peaches Grow. Often Bears at 2 Years. So Distinctive it was awarded a U. S. Patent.

Burbank July Elberta is hardy wherever peach trees grow. It is a quick, extra heavy, every-year bearer, even where other varieties fail. It's a big money-maker for home, roadside and commercial orchards. You can grow it to perfection in your own back yard.

- **Colorful** — Vivid scarlet over Golden Yellow skin. Luscious flesh is firm and Golden Yellow. Small pit. A perfect Freestone.
- **Large Size** — Fine size for Canning, Freezing, Markets.
- **Exquisite Flavor** — Super-delicious, Rich, Sweet, Juicy—absolutely no equal except Starking Delicious.
- **Ripens Early** — 15 days before Elberta.
- **Shipping Ability** — "Best shipper of all Freestones" declared Alvin Eckert, famous Illinois peach grower.
- **Extra Hardy** — Excellent for North and Central. A fine Peach for the South because of its short dormancy period.
- **Uses** — Wonderful for Eating Fresh, Desserts, Freezing, Canning. A money-maker on the market.

A49 J. H. HALE Trade-Mark*** "The Million Dollar Peach"

Perfect roundness, giant size and glorious color plus wonderful flavor make this great peach one of Stark Bro's "Super 6" Leaders.

- **Color** — Vivid carmine over golden yellow, almost fuzzless skin. A perfect Freestone.
- **Mammoth Size** — Almost as large as Hal-Berta Giant.
- **Delicious Flavor** — Meaty like a cling, yet melting, tender and free from stringiness and bitterness.
- **Ripens Mid-Season** — A few days after Elberta.
- **Shipping Ability** — Keeps well and ships well.
- **Hardiness** — Thrives in all Peach-growing sections — North, Central, South. For bigger crops plant with other high quality peaches such as Burbank July Elberta, Stark Early Elberta, Starking Delicious, etc.
- **Uses** — Marvelous for Eating Fresh, Desserts, Freezing, Canning and one of the big money-makers on the mid-season market.

A40 Honeydew Hale *** U. S. Patent

Revolutionary Firm White-Fleshed Freestone. A Wonderful Keeper and Shipper.

Honeydew Hale is the ONLY White-Fleshed Freestone that can be picked tree-ripe, shipped thousands of miles or kept 3 or 4 weeks in a home refrigerator—yet retain its startling beauty, firm juicy flesh and rich spicy flavor. It's a giant too—as large as Hal-Berta Giant.

- **Color** — Creamy White skin overspread with carmine is almost fuzzless. Thick juicy flesh is Creamy White with a single Golden Yellow Segment from skin to its Free Stone.
- **Giant Size** — Many peaches weigh a pound each. As large as Hal-Berta Giant.
- **Delicious Flavor** — Distinctive White-Fleshed Peach Flavor preferred by so many people.
- **Ripens Mid-Season** — A few days after Elberta.
- **Wonderful Shipper** — The ONLY White-Fleshed Freestone Peach we know that will stay juicy and retain its rich, refreshing spicy flavor.
- **Hardiness** — Thrives in all peach-growing sections — North, Central, South. For bigger crops plant with Starking Delicious, Burbank July Elberta, Stark Early Elberta, etc.
- **Uses** — Superb for Eating Fresh, Desserts, Freezing and Markets.

Genuine Trees of Above U. S. Patent and Trade-Mark Peaches Sold ONLY by Stark Bro's.

Stark "SELECTED" Peach Trees

All Trees Genuine Stark Record-Bearing Strains	EACH RATE (1 to 9 Trees)	10-RATE (10 to 49 Trees)
4 to 6 ft. size.....	\$2.50 a tree	\$2.20 a tree
3 to 4 ft. size.....	2.20 a tree	1.95 a tree
2 to 3 ft. size.....	1.95 a tree	1.70 a tree

Peach Varieties are Listed in order of Ripening—Earliest first, etc.

VERY EARLY		MID-SEASON (Cont.)	
A38 JUN-BERTA**25c Ex.	A156 Champion*	A45 GOLDEN ELBERTA CLING**	
A111 Dixiegem** Stark Giant Strain	A46 ELBERTA, Stark Queen Strain**		
A106 Redhaven**			
EARLY		LATE	
A41 Golden Jubilee**	A158 Shipper's Late Red*	A43 STARK LATE ELBERTA**	
A104 Fairhaven**		A101 Indian Blood Cling*	
A117 EUREKA HARDY**		A105 KRUMMEL OCT.**	
A102 Rochester*			
MID-SEASON			
A44 Halehaven**			
A39 Belle of Georgia**			

Burbank July Elberta

J. H. Hale

Honeydew Hale

APRICOTS

A32 Wilson Delicious Trade-Mark***

Beautiful and delicious — an Apricot so hardy and so vigorous that you can easily grow them in your own back yard. Quick Bearer Too!

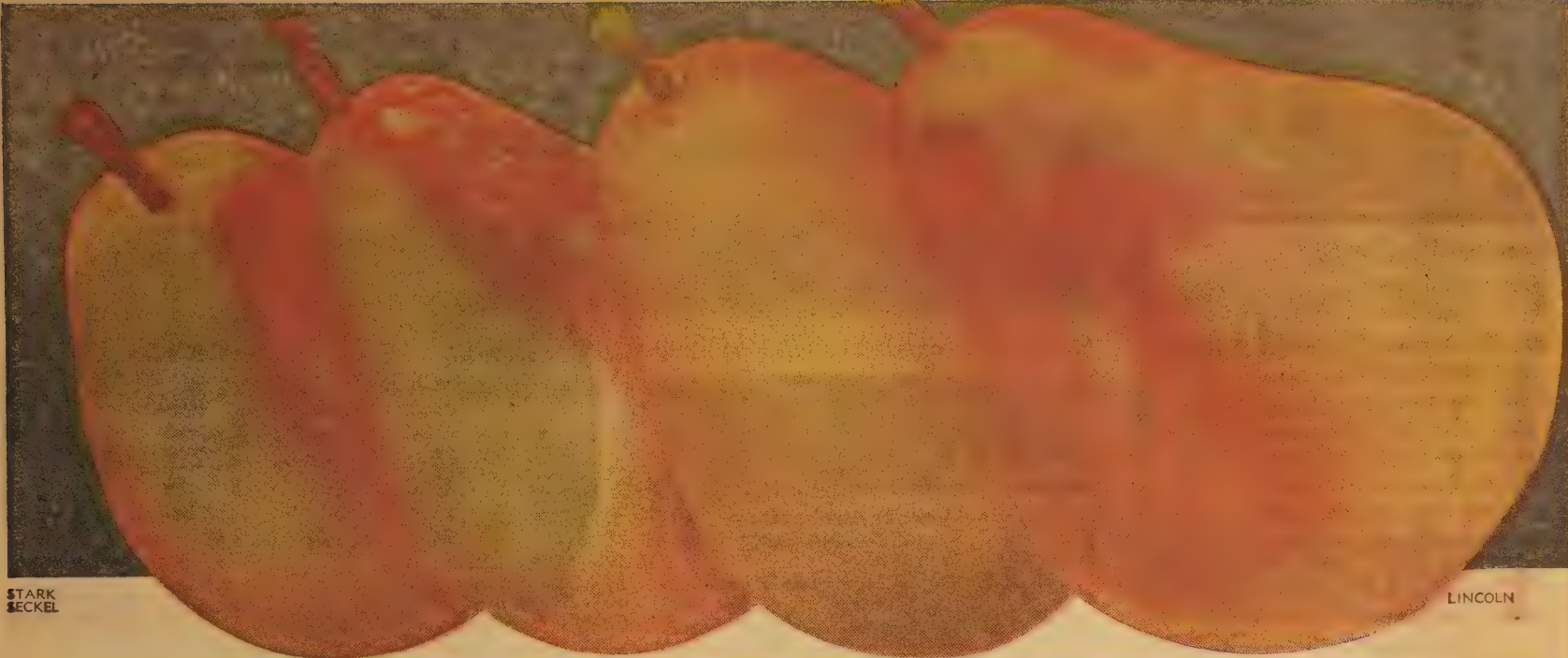
Fine for Home Orchard, Local Market. Delicious for Eating Fresh, Canning, Cooking, Freezing and Drying. Trees Sold ONLY by Stark. NCS.

A153 Stark Early-Orange U. S. Patent***

New, "Earliest Good Apricot"—rich, orange-colored meat and beautiful rosy cheeks. Excellent flavor. Firm, juicy—perfect freestone. Eating, Cooking, Canning, Freezing, Markets. Trees large, vigorous, heavy bearers. Trees U. S. Patented and Sold ONLY by Stark Bro's. NCS. 50c per tree more than prices below.

PRICES

4 to 6 ft. Size.....	3 to 4 ft. Size.....	EACH RATE (1 to 9 Trees)	10-RATE (10 to 49 Trees)
\$3.75 a tree	3.50 a tree	\$3.75 a tree	\$3.50 a tree



STARK SECKEL

LINCOLN

BARTLETT

GRAND CHAMPION

PEARS Selected and Perfected for You by Stark

STARKING DELICIOUS Sensational New U. S. Patent Pear — See Page 2.

Stark Seckel Sugar Pear. Late Summer. Every Family Needs Seckel. In Stark Seckel we offer you the acme of Pear perfection. Medium size. Flavor is spicy and sweet. Tree hardy. Resistant to blight. Eating, Desserts, Canning. NCS.

Duchess (Angouleme) Fall. Favorite of Housewives. Finest Fall Pear for Midwest. Best Variety to Grow as Dwarf Tree. A huge Pear—often weigh over a pound each. Excellent Eating, Canning, Preserves. NCS.

Buerre Bosc Winter. Distinctive Long-Necked Pear—Popular. A pear that is popular everywhere. Exquisite quality. Fruit large, juicy and extra sweet. Eating, Cooking, Market. NCS.

Stark Tyson First Pear Ripe. Ideal Blight-Free Tree. A Summer Seckel. This delicious Pear is just like Stark Seckel. Very early. Hardy. Blight-Free. Eating, Canning, Desserts. NCS.

BARTLETT Summer — One of Best Pears for Eating and Canning. Stark Improved Strain. Bartlett is a favorite everywhere—probably the most popular, most widely planted of all pears.

A beautiful pear—large in size, golden yellow with soft blush when fully ripe. Quality is superb—juicy and melting, with a rich flavor. A great favorite for Eating Fresh, Canning and Shipping. NCS.

Fame (Trade-Mark) Delicious, Hardy. Best Performance when Grown as Dwarf Tree. Young-Bearing. Trees sold ONLY by Stark. An ideal Pear to add beauty and mouth-watering fruit to your garden. Resembles Bartlett — earlier. Hardy. Quick bearer. Eating, Canning. NCS.

DWARF PEARS

We can supply following varieties in Dwarf Trees at Prices below:

A321 Starking Delicious***	\$10 Ea.	A318 Fame***	\$ 4 Ea.
A320 Anjou***	\$ 4 Ea.	A309 Lincoln***	\$ 4 Ea.
A308 Bartlett***	\$ 4 Ea.	A322 Grand Champion***	\$ 4 Ea.
A319 Duchess***	\$ 4 Ea.	A317 Stark Seckel**	\$ 4 Ea.

GRAND CHAMPION (U. S. Patent) Delicious as Bartlett. Ripens 2 to 3 Weeks Later. When your teeth sink into a gorgeous, golden-russet Grand Champion Pear, with its mellow, sweet, juicy white flesh—and your nose drinks in its bubbly fragrance—you've found the Pear you've always dreamed of growing!

Grand Champion, U. S. Patent, is a true limb-sport of the luscious Gorham. Heavy bearer. Size, shape and flavor closely resemble Bartlett, but ripens in the Fall, 2 to 3 weeks later. Eating, Cooking, Canning, Market. NCS.

Anjou Late Fall. Succeeds Everywhere. Famous for Rich Flavor. Rich flavored, large pear that succeeds in all sections. Resists blight. For Eating Fresh, Canning, Preserves, Market. NCS.

Kieffer Winter—Favorite in South. Does Not Blight. A large, rich yellow Winter Pear. Fine for Canning, Baking, Preserves—only fair to eat fresh. NCS.

LINCOLN (Trade-Mark). Very Hardy—Productive. One of the finest summer pears especially adapted for the Middle West. Rich Golden Yellow with a pink blush—large size—delicious quality to give full flavor weeks earlier. Trees are healthy, vigorous and highly productive and have given an outstanding account of themselves east of the Rockies and West of the Appalachian Mountains. Lincoln is ideal for Home Orchards. Big crops in late summer. Extra size, luscious quality, picture-book beauty. Eating, Cooking, Canning, Market. NCS.

PRICES---PEAR TREES

STANDARD SIZE TREES	EACH RATE (1 to 9 Trees)	10 RATE (10 to 49 Trees)
5 to 7 ft. size....	\$3.50 a tree	\$3.20 a tree
4 to 5 ft. size....	3.20 a tree	2.95 a tree
3 to 4 ft. size....	2.95 a tree	2.75 a tree
A133 Anjou (Nov.)**	A35 Kieffer (Oct.)*	
A34 BARTLETT (Sept.)**	A33 Lincoln (Sept.)***	
A136 Buerre Bosc (Oct.)**	A36 Stark Seckel (Oct.)**	25c Ex.
A135 Duchess (Oct.)**	A134 Stark Tyson (Aug.)*	
A131 FAME (Oct.)*** 25c Ex	A142 Starking Delicious Pear	
A132 Grand Champion***	*** (Sept.) . . . \$7.50 per	
(Oct.) New U. S. Patent	Tree. (Not over 5 trees to	
50c Extra.	a Customer).	



Starking Hardy Giant—Hardest Red Sweet Cherry.



Stark Gold—Hardest Yellow Sweet Cherry



Montmorency Stark—Best of all Montmorency Strains

CHERRIES—Newest, Hardest, Heaviest Bearing Champions

STARKING Hardy Giant New. (U. S. Patent)

At last, a giant hardy red teammate for Stark Gold. Trees bear immense clusters of huge, gorgeous dark-red cherries. Flavor is so full and rich, flesh so firm and crisp, you can't get enough of this superb eating. Ripe about 2 weeks after Strawberries. Bore big crops even where Sweet Cherries never bore before. Grand for Eating, Cooking, Freezing, Canning, Market. NNCS.

● **BURBANK'S BLACK-GIANT**, Trade-Mark. New. Sugary Sweet and Delicious. One of the finest all round Sweet Cherries ever created. Burbank's own description makes you want to bite right into its tempting deliciousness! "Firm, deep blackish crimson—sugary sweet and delicious. Bore even after 26 below." Fine for Eating, Cooking, Canning, Market. NCS.

● **BURBANK HONEY-HEART** (Trade-Mark) New. A Big Sweet Cherry—often an inch in diameter. Golden-yellow, almost completely overspread with bright-red when fully ripe. Crisp, juice-laden delicious flesh. Very Early One of Burbank's youngest, heaviest producing Sweet Cherries NCS.

● **STARK LAMBERT**—Extra Hardy Strain. A beautiful big black Sweet Cherry—one of the largest, glossiest and handsomest of all dark-colored Sweets, and Stark Strain is one of the Hardest. Flesh is purplish-red, crisp and delicious. Firm meaty and juicy with a sweet rich flavor that wins friends at first taste. Fruit sets in great loose clusters—often a dozen or more cherries to a single fruit spur. For delicious Eating, Desserts, Freezing, Canning, and Markets. NCS.

Stark GOLD Trade-Mark. Superb Quality.

Super Hardy. Hardest yellow Sweet Cherry ever developed! Sure bearer. Like nuggets of glowing gold, with a luscious, spicy flavor that melts in the mouth and honey-clear beauty that "sings out" on the table! An ideal Teammate for Starking Hardy Giant. Ripe about a week after Montmorency. A top favorite for Eating, Cooking, Canning, Freezing, Market. NNCS.

● **BLACK TARTARIAN IMPROVED**, Hardy, Sweet, (Deacon Strain). Favorite dooryard and roadside market Sweet Cherry. Not as large as some giant Sweets, but its purple-red, rich-flavored flesh—firm and crisp yet juicy—plus its heart shape and glossy rich color—delight the eyes and palate! Among the earliest to ripen. Good for shipping and canning, one of best for Eating Fresh Desserts. NCS.

● **RAINBOW STRIPE**—Sweet Yellow Lambert—Trade-Mark. Unique Bud-Sport of Stark Lambert. A huge, beautiful creamy yellow Sweet Cherry with a narrow ruby-red stripe from stem to tip. Fruit has all the delicious, firm, meaty, rich, sweet flesh that makes Stark Lambert so popular. Tree Hardy, big crops. NCS.

● **NAPOLEON** (Royal Ann) — Stark Hardy Strain. Extra large Sweet Cherry, Golden Yellow, overspread with coral-red. Beautiful Flavor rich and sweet. Flesh firm, juicy, crisp. Keeps well. Ships beautifully. Trees bear young and bear big crops. NCS.

● **BING** Old Favorite Sweet Cherry. One of the most delicious dark red Sweet Cherries. Very large—often an inch in diameter. Flesh purplish red with beautiful red juice. Firm, Meaty, Crisp and Sweet. A favorite in Home and Commercial orchards on Pacific Coast and profitable in all sweet Cherry sections. Fine for Eating, Cooking, Canning, Freezing and Markets.

● **MONTEARLY CHERRY**, Trade-Mark. Montearly will give you cherries for pies, cobbler, tarts, canning and freezing earlier than any other cherry. Ready for home and market 2 weeks before Montmorency. Color is deep, rich wine with glorious deep-red juice. Sweet and meaty. Good shipper. Bore at 1 year.—"My 1-year Montearly and Stark Gold bore fruit at 1 year." Fred Tim, Minn. NCS.

● **SUDA HARDY** is the Late Dark-Red Morello Type Cherry to give you wine-red pies, cobbler and sauce late in the season. Tree is Hardy and produces big crops. Ripe about 10 days after Montmorency Stark. Fine for Cooking, Canning, Market. NCS.

● **DYEHOUSE**—Tart, Ripe a week before Early Richmond, larger. Best Very Early except Montearly. Extra hardy. Young, Heavy Bearer. NCS.

● **WINDSOR** — Stark Record-Bearing Strain. Dark red sweet cherry. Extra hardy. Ships well, sells well on all markets. NCS.

MONTMORENCY STARK Trade-Mark.

Extra Large Red Pie Cherry. For over 20 years, many have called Montmorency Stark the World's Best Pie and Canning Cherry. When fully ripe it's sweet—a favorite with the children. Extra large, brilliant red! A strong grower, Hardy, and a sure and young bearer. Top favorite for Eating, Cooking, Canning, Freezing, Market. NNCS.

PRICES—Lender Cherry Trees

Genuine Stark Record-Bearing Strains	EACH RATE (1 to 9 Trees)	10-RATE (10 to 49 Trees)
4 to 6 ft. size.....	\$3.95 a tree	\$3.75 a tree
3 to 4 ft. size.....	3.75 a tree	3.50 a tree

*** or ** Best of Their Type and Season
Sweets Listed in Order of Ripening

- A25 Stark Gold—Trade Mark***
- A27 Starking Hardy Giant, U. S. Pat.***
- A227 Burbank's Black Giant***—U. S. Pat.
- A231 Burbank's Honey-Heart, Trade-Mark***
- A31 Stark Lambert, Hardy Certified Str.***
- A28 Black Tartarian Imp., Deacon Str.***
- A235 Rainbow Stripe, Trade-Mark***

Some of Red Pie Cherry

- A29 Montearly—Trade-Mark***
- A26 Montmorency Stark, Trade-Mark***
- A230 Suda Hardy**

Stark "SELECTED" Cherry Trees

Genuine Stark Record-Bearing Strains	EACH RATE (1 to 9 Trees)	10-RATE (10 to 49 Trees)
4 to 6 ft. size.....	\$3.50 a tree	\$3.20 a tree
3 to 4 ft. size.....	3.20 a tree	2.95 a tree

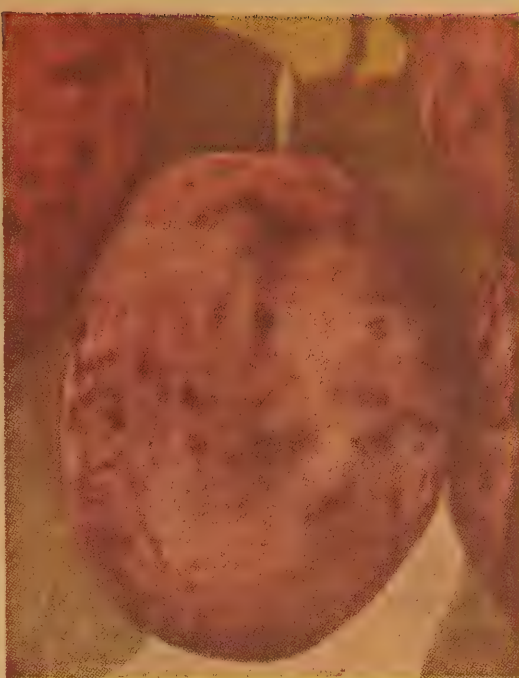
SWEETS RED PIE CHERRIES

- A226 Bing*
- A30 Napoleon (Royal Ann)*
- A228 Dyehouse—Early (Good Quality)*
- A229 Early Richmond—(Productive)*
- A232 Schmidt's Biggareau
- A233 Windsor

Genuine Trees of U. S. Patented and Trade-Marked Pears and Cherries Above Sold ONLY By Stark.



New STARKING DELICIOUS Plum
Huge, Red-Fleshed Plum—U. S. Patent.



Burbank's GRAND PRIZE Prune
Magnificent Giant Prune



Burbank's RED ACE Plum
Bears Young. Bears Big Crops Every Year.

PLUMS—Luther Burbank's Greatest NEW Creations

STARKING DELICIOUS PLUM—Red Fleshed—U. S. Patent
Trees Sold ONLY by Stark—Hardy New Plum Creation! A beautiful, big, red-fleshed Mid-Season Plum. Sparkling ruby-red flesh with a tantalizing, delicious flavor. Smooth, glossy red skin that glistens in the sun. Extra heavy bearer—loaded every year. Extremely hardy—bore so heavily it had to be thinned after 17" below zero. A good shipper. A healthy, strong-growing, long-lived tree—remarkably disease-resistant. Original Tree Cost \$2,500.00. Stark Fruit Experts were so enthusiastic about the great value of Starking Delicious Plum to the Fruit Gardens and Orchards of America that we paid \$2,500.00 for the Original Tree. Its delicious flavor, beauty, great size, distinctive aroma and firm, ruby-red flesh make Starking Delicious Plum wonderful for Eating Fresh, Desserts, Canning, Shipping and Jelly. Trees Sold ONLY by Stark Bro's. NCS

BURBANK'S ELEPHANT HEART PLUM—Trade-Mark. Red Flesh—Imagine a Giant Plum—large, heart-shaped, dark-red beauty with ruby-red flesh. Resembles Starking Delicious Color Photo above. Mid-Season. Especially recommended for arid and semi-arid sections of the West and sandy sections of the Southeast. For better pollination and bigger crops, should be planted with other plums like Starking Delicious or Early Gold (Shiro). Luscious as an Oxheart Cherry. The longer it hangs, the better it tastes—sweet and delicious. That's Burbank's Elephant Heart. Wonderful for Eating Fresh, Freezing, Canning, Market, and how it ships! Burbank's Elephant Heart Trees are trade-marked and sold ONLY by Stark NCS

BURBANK'S GREAT YELLOW—Trade-Mark
Earliest of all Yellow Freestone Plums! So superior to all other yellow plums, it is virtually a new fruit! Freestone when fully ripe. Largest, solid golden plum of all Luther Burbank Wonder Creations—from 2 to 2½ in. diameter. Pure yellow without a touch of blush. Sweet and mild. Wonderful for Eating, Market. NCS

STARK GREEN GAGE PLUM—Trade-Mark—Best of All Gages! A Mid-Season Plum as Sweet as Honey! Rich flavor, fine texture. Juicy. Beautiful roundish oval, greenish yellow plums turning golden yellow when ripe. Sometimes mottled with red. Wonderful for Eating, Sherbets, Canning, Preserving. NCS

SANTA ROSA—Originated by Burbank. Gold Medal Winner at Lewis & Clark Exposition. Beautiful, big, dark red Plum. Firm sweet flesh. Ships wonderfully. Hardy. Bears big crops. NCS

GOLD—Trade-Mark We paid Burbank \$3,000.00 for Gold Plum that families all over America might enjoy it for Canning, Preserves, Butter, Sauce and Jelly. Beautiful golden-yellow blushed bright cherry red when ripe. Limbs literally coped with Plums. Hardy—thrives from Atlantic to Pacific. Young bearer. Ships well. Ripens Mid-Season. NCS

STARK EARLY GOLD (Shiro)—Trade-Mark—This Sweet and Delicious big glossy-yellow Plum is ready to eat Very Early in the season. Tree is Hardy and so prolific it sometimes needs thinning. Succeeds North. One of the best for South. Flesh tender, juicy, sweet. Fine for Eating, Jelly, Preserves, Plum Butter and Sauce and Preserves. Home and Local Market. NCS

BURBANK'S PURPLE PLUMCOT—Trade-Mark—Half Plum. Half Apricot! With the irresistible deliciousness of both. Large in size. Beautiful dark purplish red. Ruby-red flesh. Freestone. Rich sweet, juicy. Hardy. NCS

OMAHA—Mid-Season. Extra Hardy—Fruit is very large—almost perfectly round. Dark rich red. Flesh is meaty, sweet and delicious. Tree Hardy and bears heavily. Fine for Cooking, Canning, Market. NCS

Burbank's GRAND PRIZE —Trade-Mark Magnificent Giant Prune

"Burbank's Grand Prize Prune is the largest and best-textured prune I have ever seen" says Homer DeVillie of N. Y. State. "Immense size, many 3 inches or more in length—even bigger than you show in your catalog. Have sold these prunes on my roadside stand every year at 30c and 35c a quart, and customers can't get enough of them." Bluish-purple skin with light-blue bloom. Golden flesh—delicious, juicy, sweet. NCS.

BURBANK'S MAMMOTH CARDINAL—Trade-Mark. Wonderful New Yellow-Fleshed Plum. Largest, best of all Luther Burbank's Red Plums—grows up to 2½ in. across. Thick, rich, semi-transparent golden yellow flesh—firm and fine-grained. Ripens Early. Hardy. Bears Fast and plenty! "Tops market—buyers grab them at 10c apiece and beg for more." NCS

PRESIDENT. A beautiful Purple Plum! Extra large. Freestone. A dessert plum that is fast growing in popularity because of its beauty, large size and wonderful flavor. Tree is healthy, hardy and disease-resistant. Exceptionally young bearer. NCS

STARK GIANT DAMSON (Big Mackey)—Trade-Mark—Largest and Best of all Damsons! Fruit deep purple, rich and juicy. Easy to grow and bears tremendous crops. Every home should have Giant Damson for Jam, Jellies, Preserves. Big profit-maker. NCS

STANLEY PRUNE—Stark Strain—"Stanley prune tops all others" declares H. Burkholder, famous fruit grower, "and it bears when only 2 or 3 years old." Bears tremendous crops annually. Big market demand and housewives prefer it for Eating, Canning. NCS

SUPERIOR New Mid-Season. Extra Hardy—Best New Minnesota Exp. Station Plum for the North. Fruit very large. Red. Flesh yellow, juicy, lively, sweet and firm. Eating, Cooking, Market. NCS

Burbank's RED ACE Trade-Mark

A Sensationally Young, Heavy Bearer

Luther Burbank described Red Ace—"Big. Crimson flesh. Small seed. Sweet as sugar. Rich flavor and full of delicious juice." One of the largest of all plums. Ripe Mid-Season. A wonderful shipper! Grand for eating fresh and a winner on the market. Dwarf-growing tree. Sensationally young bearer. A big crop every year. Ideal for border and backyard planting. Hardy. NCS.

PRICES Stark & Burbank Best PLUMS

Trees Sold ONLY by Stark Bro's	
Record-Bearing Strains (1 to 9 Trees)	10 RATE (10 to 49 Trees)
4 to 6 ft. Size \$3.95 a tree	\$3.75 a tree
3 to 4 ft. Size \$3.75 a tree	\$3.50 a tree
A24 Starking Delicious*** \$1 Ex.	A127 Grand Prize** 50c Extra
A19 Elephant Heart***	A129 Mammoth Cardinal** 50c Extra
A16 Flaming Delicious**	A130 Purple Plumcot***
A23 Gold Plum** \$3,000 Plum.	A126 Purple Flame (Leaf)**
A18 Great Yellow***	A128 Red Ace** Semi-Dwarf. 50c Extra

Stark "SELECTED" Plums	
All Trees Genuine Stark EACH RATE	10 RATE
Record-Bearing Strains (1 to 9 Trees)	(10 to 49 Trees)
4 to 6 ft. Size \$3.75 a tree	\$3.50 a tree
3 to 4 ft. Size \$3.50 a tree	\$3.20 a tree
VERY EARLY	LATE
A17 Early Gold** (Shiro)	A22 Omaha** (Sweet, hardy)
EARLY	A124 President**
A15 Santa Rosa*	A20 Stark GREEN Gage**
MID-SEASON	A125 Prune, Stanley*
A120 Superior	A21 DAMSON, STARK GIANT, Big Mackey

STARK GRAPES, RASPBERRIES, BLACKBERRIES, STRAWBERRIES

STARK GRAPES

GOLDEN MUSCAT. New. Yellow Grape. Very large. Heavy fruit clusters filled out with large oval berries of highest quality. Originated by N. Y. Exp Station.

Berry large, oval yellow. Flesh greenish, juicy, tender, sweet, vinous. Refreshing with Muscat flavor. Quality very good, to best.

Recommended for home use, local and roadside market. Its skin may be too tender for distant shipment.

Plant is hardy, vigorous and extremely productive.

HICKS—The Super Concord. Larger than regular Concord. Flesh is juicy, fine grained, sweet, mild and delicious. Heavy bearer and strong grower. Ripens with or a little before Concord. Excellent for eating fresh, jellies, jams and grape juice.

VAN BUREN—New. Earliest of All Grapes. A deliciously flavored New Hardy Black Grape destined to be a great favorite in Home Vineyards and for Roadside and Local Markets. Looks like Concord—much Earlier and Sweeter.

PORTLAND—Best Early White Grape. Bunches and berries larger than any other White Grape. Quality good with a pleasing foxy flavor, honey-sweet. Vine hardy, strong growing productive. Fine for Eating, Jelly, Market.

CONCORD—The Best-Known American Grape—Most popular most widely planted of all Grapes. Large. Quality is good. Ripens Mid-Season. A favorite for planting in the home yard. For eating fresh, grape juice and jelly. One of the most profitable varieties for commercial growers.

LUCILE—Mid-Season Red Grape. A rich red grape. Good everywhere and under all conditions. Vine vigorous; heavy bearer. Fruit delicious. For eating, jelly, juice and market.

CATAWBA—Favorite Late Red. A favorite for eating, table, wine and champagne making. Ripens too late for Northern plantings.

FREDONIA—New. Very Early. Blue Grape. 3 weeks earlier than Concord. Fine flavor. Berries large, round, hang well. Flesh solid, but juicy and tender. A favorite for home use and market.

DIAMOND—Best White Grape. Famous early ripening white grape. Delicious quality. Flesh transparent, juicy, tender to melting. Fine grained. Aromatic. Sprightly. For eating, for grape juice, jelly and market.

NIAGARA—"The Yellow Concord." One of the most widely planted and best known white grapes. Bunch is large. Fruit has wonderful delicious flavor. Excellent home grape.

STARK GRAPES

STARK DELICIOUS. Greatest of all Red Grapes. Vines Sold ONLY by Stark Bro's. (Trade-Mark). Best red grape. Stark Delicious has become so popular that we have never been able to grow enough vines to supply the demand.

Its color is so attractive, its bunch so large and handsome, the quality so delicious it brings top prices.

Flavor is delightfully rich and sweet. Ripens here in September. It is one of the youngest bearers—often producing grapes on 1-year vines. Vine is hardy, healthy and produces luxuriant foliage. For eating, for table, for jelly, for grape juice, for the small town or city market. Stark Delicious is ideal.

PRICES STARK GRAPES

100 or More Grape Vines—Write for Special Prices

Listed in order of ripening	
VERY EARLY	
B815 VAN BUREN** New	
Blue-Black	1.25 1.00
B806 Fredonia** Blue-Black	.75 .60 .50
B808 PORTLAND** New	
Golden-White	1.00 .90
EARLY	
B816 Delaware Red	.75 .60 .50
B802 NIAGARA** White	.50 .40 .35
B801 DIAMOND** Golden-White	.75 .60 .50
MEDIUM	
B803 LUCILE** Red	.75 .60 .50
B821 HICKS** Big Concord	
Blue-Black	1.00 .90 .80
B800 CONCORD** Blue-Black	.35 .30 .25
B804 GOLDEN MUSCAT**	
Golden-White	1.25 1.00
B805 WALLIS GIANT**	
Blue-Black	1.25 1.00
B817 STARK DELICIOUS**	
Red	1.25 1.00
LATE	
B807 Catawba** Red	.50 .40 .35

Asparagus and Rhubarb Prices at Bottom of Page 12.

RASPBERRIES - BLACKBERRIES

FLAMING GIANT RASPBERRY—Hardiest. Berries large. Rich, alluring red color. Flesh is firm, making it an excellent shipper. Because of their beauty they always bring premium prices.

MERSEREAU BLACKBERRY—Beautiful glossy black. Our best seller and a standard wherever blackberries are grown. Has the good points of the old Snyder, is larger, better quality.

PRICES STARK BERRIES

100 or More Plants
Write for Special Prices

STARK RASPBERRIES	
Price for 10 Plants	Price for 25 Plants
B937 Bristol, Black	4.00 8.75 15.00
B917 Chief*, Red	3.50 7.50 12.50
B929 Columbian*, Purple	3.50 7.50 12.50
B927 Logan*, Black	4.00 8.75 15.00
B933 Cumberland*, Black	3.00 6.25 10.00
B918 Cuthbert*, Red	3.00 6.25 10.00
B921 FLAMING GIANT (Ohta)** Red, Hardy	4.00 8.75 15.00
B920 Newburgh*, Red	4.00 8.75 15.00
B922 LATHAM—Redpath Strain** Red	4.00 8.75 15.00
B922 REDPATH—Improved Latham** Red	4.00 8.75 15.00
B919 ST. REGIS* Ever-bearing, Red	3.50 7.50 12.50
B930 Potomac*, Purple	3.50 7.50 12.50
B928 Sodus* New Improved, Purple	4.00 8.75 15.00
B936 Sunrise** Red	4.50 10.00 17.50
B910 Indian Summer** Red	5.00 11.25 20.00
STARK BLACKBERRIES	
B912 Alfred Early* New	3.50 7.50 12.50
B913 Blowers*	3.00 6.25 10.00
B915 EARLY HARVEST**	3.00 6.25 10.00
B914 Eldorado*	3.50 7.50 12.50
B916 MERSEREAU** Best	3.50 7.50 12.50
B911 Snyder	3.00 6.25 10.00
STARK NEWBERRIES	
B925 Lucretia**	3.00 6.25 10.00
BOYANBERRIES (Spring Shipment Only)	
B924 Boysenberry*, Regular	5.00 11.25 20.00
B926 Thornless**	7.00 15.00 25.00

PRICES STARK STRAWBERRIES

PREPAID PRICES—FALL DELIVERY
Planting Distance—Strawberry plants are usually set 2 ft apart in rows 3½ ft. apart

JUNE BEARERS	
Plants	Plants
25	50
100	Plants
Armour	\$2.85 \$4.65 \$8.25
Blakemore	2.40 3.45 5.25
British Sovereign	3.60 5.85 9.75
Crimson Flash	4.05 6.75 11.25
Dunlap	2.40 3.45 5.25
Empire	2.85 4.65 8.25
Fairpeake	2.85 4.65 8.25
Jumbo	3.60 5.85 9.75
Plentiful	2.85 4.65 8.25
Polar Queen	3.60 5.85 9.75
Premier	2.55 3.75 5.55
Robinson	2.55 3.75 5.55
Vermilion	2.85 4.65 8.25

COMPLETE JUNE-STRAWBERRY GARDEN ASSORTMENT
100 Plants—for ONLY—\$9.45

25 Crimson Flash—Early
25 Vermilion—Early Midseason
25 Jumbo—Midseason
25 Armour—Late Midseason

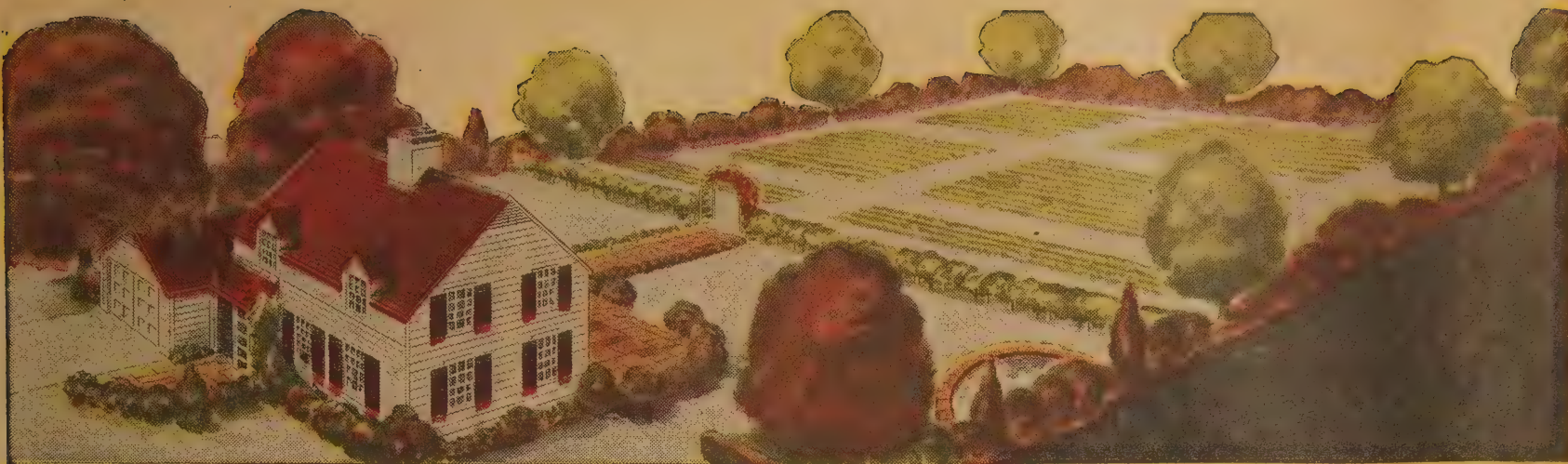
EVERBEARERS	
Plants	Plants
25	50
100	Plants
Gem	\$3.45 \$5.55 \$9.45
Red Rich	7.35 12.75 24.75
Streamliner	3.60 5.85 9.75
Superfection	3.60 5.85 9.75
20th Century	5.25 9.75 16.50

RED RICH! Plant Patent 993 NEW EXCITING, DIFFERENT! The Everbearing Strawberry that has everything! Combines the finest features of its parents—everbearing Wayzata and Fairfax June—to make the biggest news in Strawberries in fifty years.

Unsurpassed for Freezing. Deep red clear through. Possesses an abundance of natural sugar. Solid and firm. It holds its eye-appealing beauty when thawed. Because it is so big, so red and so sweet it is the best for Desserts, Freezing and Preserves.

20TH CENTURY—Everbearer. Beautiful bright red berries. Fine texture and delightful taste. Fine shippable. Heavy producer. Starts to bear fruit within 60 days after planting and keeps right on bearing until frost. A "must" for Home Gardens. A profit-maker for market growers. Supply very limited this year. Order Early.

SUPERFECTION—Everbearer. New Jumbo-Size Everbearing Strawberry. Fine flavor. Big crops of large honey-sweet berries. Deep-red color all the way through. Heavy bearer—has produced as much as a pint per plant.



MAKE YOUR HOME—LARGE OR SMALL...A "SHOW PLACE" OF LIVING BEAUTY

A Happier Place to Live . . . A More VALUABLE Place, IF YOU EVER SHOULD WANT TO SELL

Please Order ALL Shrubs by Number and Name

DWARF SHRUBS

Use Shrubs below in front of larger shrubs, low foundations, entrances.

C513 ALMOND, Flowering
Grows 3 to 4 feet in height. This is one of the old fashioned favorites. Blooms in early Spring. The branches are almost entirely covered with rose-like, pink blossoms in the early Spring.
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$2.25 each
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.50 each

C592 BARBERRY, Green Leaf
A thorny, all-purpose, compact, bushy dwarf shrub that is attractive when allowed to grow naturally to its usual height of about 3 feet or when trimmed to any desired height. Very popular for Hedges, shrub borders, foundation plantings or entrances. The small rich green leaves turn to shades of brilliant orange and scarlet in Autumn and the bright red berries hang on the bush all winter.
1 to 1 1/2 foot size, \$1.20 each
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$1.40 each
See Hedge Plants for Quantity Prices

C578 BARBERRY—Red Leaf
Beautiful new red-leaved sport of the Green Leaf Barberry, prized for its bright foliage. Rich, lustrous foliage the entire season. Like Green Leaf Barberry except for its bronze-red foliage.
1 to 1 1/2 foot size, \$1.70 each
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$1.95 each
See Hedge Plants for Quantity Prices

C554 CORALBERRY, Improved
Very attractive, low-growing shrub equally at home in deep shade or full sun. The light pink flowers in early summer are followed by clusters of large, pink berries which hang on well into the winter.
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$1.40 each
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.65 each

C581 QUINCE, Flowering
Early flowering, medium height shrub, noted for its dazzling display of brilliant scarlet flowers in early spring. Blooms remain on plant from April to May. The plant is dense, low (4 to 6 ft.). Excellent for cutting and use in modern flower arrangements in the house. Shrub useful as specimen and in the foundation and border plantings. Glossy foliage.
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$2.25 each
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.75 each

C553 SNOWBERRY, Improved
Sometimes called "Waxberry." Just like Coralberry above, except berries are snow-white.
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$1.35 each
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.60 each

C544 SPIREA, Anthony Waterer
Blooms from July until frost. Bright rosy crimson flowers in clusters. Favorite for foundation planting, entrance for edging taller shrubs and as a low blooming hedge. Dwarf grower.
1 to 1 1/2 foot size, \$1.85 each
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$2.10 each

C509 SPIREA, Froebel
Large clusters of rosy-pink bloom similar to Spirea Ant. Waterer. Taller growing than Ant. Waterer. Blooms well, even in shady places. Excellent for low growing, untrimmed hedges, foundation and entrance plantings. Dwarf.
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$2.00 each
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.20 each

C585 DEUTZIA, Slender
One of the best hardy dwarf-growing 2 to 3 ft. shrubs. Small snow-white flowers practically cover the bush in May. Attractive for bouquets. Branches arching. Useful for low foundation planting, entrances or in front of tall shrubs. Makes a beautiful low-flowering hedge.
1 to 1 1/2 foot size, \$2.65 each
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$2.95 each

C532 FORSYTHIA, Showy Border
"Golden Bell" is the common name for all varieties of Forsythia. Great masses of bright yellow, bell-shaped flowers cover the plant for 4 to 6 weeks in March and April before leaves appear. Grows to a medium height of 4 to 6 ft. with arching branches. Use in foundation and border plantings. Its extreme hardiness and easy culture make it a top favorite. Showy Border is an improved Border Forsythia with larger blossoms, and blooms even more profusely.
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$1.50 each
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.75 each

CLIMBING VINES	1-9	10-up
	Each	Each
B934 Bitter Sweet	1.35	1.20
Clematis		
B951 Sweet Autumn*	1.35	1.20
B952 Jackman (Purple)*	2.50	2.30
B949 Macd. Andre (Red)*	2.50	2.30
B950 Henry (White)*	2.50	2.30
B948 Ramona (Light Blue)*	2.50	2.30
B945 Dutchman's Pipe	3.75	3.50
Honeysuckle		
B931 Hall Japanese*	.90	.85
B933 Trumpet (Scarlet)*	1.25	1.15
Ivy		
B946 Boston	1.95	1.85
B947 Englemans* (Clings)	1.95	1.85
Wisteria		
B932 Chinese (Purple)*	1.95	1.75
B935 White	1.95	1.75

MEDIUM HEIGHT SHRUBS

Use for Foundation Planting Around the House; Flowering Hedges; Borders; Groups, etc.

C5601 ALTHEA, Assorted
Large single bell-shaped blossoms of Pink, Rose or Purple—darker in center. Flowers often 4 inches across. Very lovely.
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$1.65 each
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.75 each

C533 ALTHEA, Crimson Eye
Large single bell-shaped blossoms of white with vivid deep red color at base.
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$1.65 each
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.75 each

ALTHEA, Double Flowering
Beautiful large double blossoms resembling double flowering hollyhocks.
C536 Double Red C535 Double Rose
C537 Double Purple C534 Double White
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$1.65 each
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.75 each

Please Order by Number and Name.

BUTTERFLY BUSH
A very attractive 5 ft. bush covered with clusters of purple lilac-like flowers from July till frost. Used around foundations for specimen or border plants. Attracts butterflies. Perennial in northern sections.
C568 Charming (Pink) \$1.75
C569 Dubonnet (Wine Red) \$1.75
C579 Farquhar (Lavender) \$1.50
C577 Ile de France (Dark Purple) \$1.50
Please order by Number and Name
C584 DEUTZIA, Lemoine
Medium height very hardy shrub. Clusters of white flowers cover it in May. One of the best for foundation groups, entrances or shrub borders.
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$2.50 each
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.80 each

C583 DEUTZIA, Pride of Rochester
Grows 4 to 6 feet in height. The white, double flowers in late Spring are tinged with pink. Especially good for borders and specimen planting.
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.75 each
3 to 4 foot size, \$3.00 each

C539 FORSYTHIA, Weeping
Like the other forsythias the long, slender, drooping branches are covered with light yellow flowers in the very early Spring before the leaves appear. The graceful, drooping branches are a cascade of gold in early Spring. Especially beautiful in combination with Flowering Quince in the flowering border and in the foundation planting.
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.50 each
3 to 4 foot size, \$1.75 each

C586 DOGWOOD, Coral Stem
A tall growing shrub valued for its bright red branches, which add color to planting during winter. Use in shrub border.
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.50 each
3 to 4 foot size, \$1.75 each

C542 HYDRANGEA P. G.
Drooping and spreading. Medium tall, growing 4 to 6 ft. Very large cone-shaped clusters of white flowers turning to pink for 9 weeks beginning in July. Wide spreading dense top from one or more stems. Can be pruned to "tree-form" if desired. Makes medium to large bush, used at foundations and in yard plantings. One of the most effective uses is to plant in front of taller growing shrubs.
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$1.95 each
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.75 each

C521 MOCKORANGE, Lemoine
Upright, Medium grower 6 to 8 ft. Small cup shape, fragrant, white bloom beginning in May and continuing four weeks. Used at foundations and in yard plantings. Fine for medium tall flowering hedge. The abundance of bloom is surpassed only by its beauty.
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$1.25 each
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.50 each

C514 MOCKORANGE, Virginal
Upright, Medium tall-growing 4 to 6 ft. Extra large, double white flowers are cup-shaped. Very fragrant. Begins to bloom in June and continues through October. Makes small, narrow bush. One of the finest of all flowering shrubs for foundations, yard plantings or shrub borders.
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.75 each
3 to 4 foot size, \$3.00 each

C531 PRIVET, Regal
An all purpose shrub. Grows to a height of 4 to 6 ft. Arching branches covered with tiny fragrant white flowers for 3 weeks in late May and early June. Attractive glossy foliage. Used at foundations and in yard plantings.
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$1.90 each
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.20 each

LILAC, French Budded
One of the most beautiful of the flowering shrubs. Equally good planted singly, in groups of the same variety or in a combination of different varieties. Available in the following choice varieties.
C549 "Belle de Nancy" Lilac (Double Pink)
C547 "Ludwig Spaeth" Lilac (Purp. Red)
C548 "Mme. Abel Chatenay" (Dbl. White)
C546 "Pres. Grevy" Lilac (Double Blue)
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$3.00 each
2 to 3 foot size, \$3.25 each

SHRUB ROSES, \$2.25 Each
The following shrubs of the great rose family have beautiful foliage throughout the spring, summer and fall and the individual branches are covered with roses during the extended blooming period.

C590 F. J. GROOTENDORST
Blooms intermittently throughout the summer with deep red flowers.
C517 RED RUGOSA ROSE
Blooms in the late spring—may be followed by recurrent bloom later.

C505 HUGONIS ROSE
Branches are literally covered with single, bright, golden-yellow roses in Spring.

SPIREAS
The Spireas are very ornamental. They are usually low or medium-size shrubs with small white, pink or crimson flowers. Spireas grow in almost any moderately moist soil. Popular for borders, foundation and single plantings on the lawn.

C544 SPIREA, Anthony Waterer
See "Dwarf Shrubs" 1st column.

C545 SPIREA, Billiard
Medium tall, upright growing—reaching height of 4 to 6 ft. Long spikes of beautiful pink bloom for 15 weeks. Recommended for foundation plantings and for shrub borders.
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.50 each
3 to 4 foot size, \$1.75 each

C509 SPIREA, Froebel
See "Dwarf Shrubs" 1st column.

C511 SPIREA, Thunberg
Arching branches covered with tiny, white flowers during April and early May. Medium tall-growing to a height of 4 to 6 ft. Dense, compact bush. Used at foundations, entrances and in lawn plantings. For untrimmed flowering hedge.
1 1/2 to 2 foot size, \$1.75 each
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.95 each

TALL SHRUBS

Use Shrubs Below for Backgrounds, Screen Plantings, Groups, etc.

C573 CRANBERRY BUSH, American
Large flat heads of white flowers. Large Red Berries all Winter. Attract Song Birds. Bright red foliage in Fall.
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.65 each
3 to 4 foot size, \$2.95 each

C538 FORSYTHIA, Fortune
Tall growing upright type. Reaching height of 6 to 8 feet. Bell-shaped golden yellow blossoms 4 weeks in April. Medium sized open bush with arching top.
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.95 each
3 to 4 foot size, \$2.50 each

C516 HONEYSUCKLE, Morrow
Upright, tall-growing—8 to 10 ft. when grown. Very attractive dark green leaves. White bloom turning to yellow 3 weeks in April and May. Red berries in summer and fall. Makes large, dense, compact bush with spreading top. Used at high foundation and in yard plantings or as tall screen plantings.
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.60 each
3 to 4 foot size, \$1.75 each

C512 HONEYSUCKLE, Red Tat.
Upright, tall-growing—10 to 12 feet. Bright rose-pink bloom 3 weeks in April and May followed by red berries in summer and fall. The most serviceable of all for tall screen planting. Also used at high foundations, for all hedges.
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.60 each
3 to 4 foot size, \$1.75 each

C523 HONEYSUCKLE, White Tat.
Similar to Red Tatarian Bush Honeysuckle except that the bloom is white. Most useful for dense hedge or screen.
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.60 each
3 to 4 foot size, \$1.75 each

C550 LILAC, Fragrant Purple
Upright, tall growing 6 to 12 ft. Large fragrant blooms in Spring. Makes large bush. Use in yard plantings and borders.
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.00 each
3 to 4 foot size, \$2.25 each

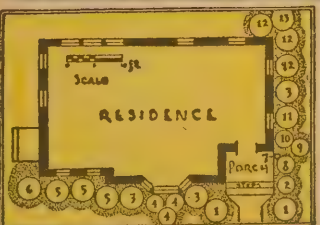
C510 LILAC, Persian
Upright, Medium Tall growing 6 to 8 ft. Large fragrant bloom. Very graceful. Used at foundations and for cemeteries.
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.25 each
3 to 4 foot size, \$2.50 each

C515 MOCKORANGE, Sweet
Upright—tall growing 6 to 12 feet in height. Cup-shape flowers are large, white and very fragrant, and bloom in profusion during May and June over a 4 weeks period. Makes a large bush. Used at high foundations and in yard plantings. Fine for tall screen plantings.
2 to 3 foot size, \$1.40 each
3 to 4 foot size, \$1.70 each

C576 SNOWBALL, Mam. White
Drooping and spreading. Tall growing 6 to 8 ft. Large ball-shape white bloom 3 weeks in May. Foliage turns to brilliant crimson and gold in Fall. Used singly or in yard plantings. Popular for its masses of bloom in the spring and colorful foliage in the Fall.
2 to 3 foot size, \$2.85 each
3 to 4 foot size, \$3.10 each

C552 TAMARIX, Kashgar
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Key	No.	Plants for Plan No. C-1
1	2	Japanese Barberry
2	1	Rugosa Rose
3	2	Red Leaf Barberry
4	2	Spiraea, Froebel
5	3	Snowhill Hydrangea
6	1	Rose Pink Althea
7	2	Paul's Scarlet Rose
8	1	Butterfly Bush
9	1	Virginal Mockorange
10	1	Spiraea, Thunberg
11	2	Forsythia, Golden Bell
12	3	Spiraea, Vanhoutte
13	1	Slender Deutzia

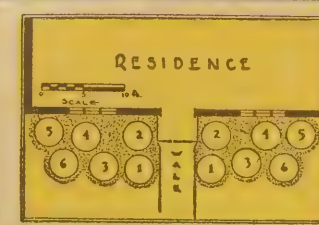


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Key	No.	Plants for Plan No. C-2
1	2	Rugosa Rose
2	2	Regal Privet
3	2	Japanese Barberry
4	2	Red Leaf Barberry
5	1	Wisteria, Purple
6	2	Paul's Scarlet Rose
7	2	Spiraea, Froebel
8	2	Snowhill Hydrangea
9	1	Snowberry
10	1	Lilac, Purple
11	2	Pink Weigela
12	3	Pink Althea
13	4	Spiraea, Vanhoutte



HOME BEAUTIFYING ASSORTMENT FC-3

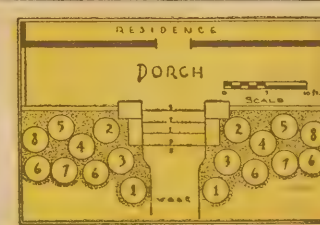
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Key	No.	Plants for Plan No. C-3
1	2	Snowhill Hydrangea
2	2	Virginal Mockorange
3	2	Spiraea, Billiard
4	2	Flowering Almond
5	2	Border Forsythia
6	2	Rugosa Rose

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Key	No.	Plants for Plan No. C-4
1	2	Spiraea, Vanhoutte
2	2	Lilac, Belle de Nancy
3	3	Japanese Barberry
4	2	Pink Weigela
5	2	Red Weigela
6	4	Snowhill Hydrangea
7	2	Red Leaf Barberry
8	2	Sweet Mockorange

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2 2 Hydrangea, P. G.
3 1 Morrow Honeysuckle
4 2 Flowering Quince
5 3 Beauty Bush
6 1 Forsythia—Golden Bell
7 3 Rugosa Rose
8 2 Deutzia, Lemoine
9 1 Spirea, Billard
10 2 Pink Weigela
11 2 Red Barberry
Plant at entrance

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3 2 Japanese Barberry
4 1 Golden Elder
5 3 Red Weigela
6 1 Slender Deutzia
7 1 Red Leaf Barberry
8 2 Spirea, Thunberg
9 3 Sweet Mockorange
10 2 Hydrangea P. G.
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2 2 Red Leaf Barberry
3 2 Coralberry
4 2 Japanese Barberry
5 2 Rugosa Rose
6 2 Slender Deutzia
7 1 Winged Euonymus
8 2 Lemoine Mockorange
9 1 Spirea Thunberg
10 2 Boston Ivy
11 6 Japanese Barberry
Plant at entrance

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2 4 Spirea, A. Waterer
3 4 Japanese Barberry
4 2 Billard Spirea
5 2 Rugosa Rose
6 2 Double Kerria
7 2 Coral Stem Dogwood
8 2 Snowberry
9 3 Engelmann Ivy
10 1 Sweet Autumn Clematis

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"This Stark Gold Cherry is hardy, a regular and heavy bearer and is one cherry the birds let me pick—some call it the 'bird-proof cherry,' Mr. Widner said."

\$4.00 a Bushel for Peaches from 3-Year Stark Trees

"My Hal-Berta, J. H. Hale and Red Bird Cling Peach trees I bought from you 3 years ago had the finest peaches on them I ever saw. They weighed 14 ounces. I sold them for \$4.00 a bushel and got 5c apiece for selected ones. I gathered as much as 1½ bushels per tree. I can recommend Stark trees as the finest, fastest growing trees I ever saw." — John W. West, Cherokee County, Ala.

\$4,850.00 Crop of Burbank July Elberta Peach

W. A. May of LaMar County, Texas sold his 1948 crop of Burbank July Elberta Peaches from his young 10-acre orchard for \$4,850.00—\$485.00 per acre. Mr. May recently wrote us:

"My orchard is set out on 25 foot centers giving me about 69 trees to the acre. I have only Burbank July Elberta Peach Trees in my orchard and I must say that Stark Trees are second to none."

STARK ORCHARDS AND ORNAMENTALS INCREASE PROPERTY VALUES

Stark Trees Added \$1,200.00 to Selling Price of Lot

"I have five half-acre lots eleven miles from Chicago," writes Mr. O. R. Moore.

"My friend, Mr. Brown, who is Vice-President of one of the largest real estate firms in the city, was offered \$1,200.00 MORE for one of his half-acre lots simply because his fruit trees, planted every 30 feet, were loaded with all kinds of fruit—and these were 4-year-old trees."

Stark World's Champion Fruit Trees would add \$6,000.00 to the value of Mr. Moore's five lots on this same basis, and one crop of high quality fruit often pays the entire cost of the trees

"Stark Trees Too Low Priced," C. M. Mathis, Ky.

"We planted the trees you sent us. We were very much delighted in your choice trees. The only criticism we have is you sell your trees too cheap, when you consider the high grade of trees you place on the market."

STARK FRUIT TREES KEEP THE WHOLE FAMILY HEALTHY AND HAPPY

From Home-Grown Fruit You Get—

VITAMIN "A" This vitamin helps the eyes, wards off colds and other infections as well as promotes growth. When Vitamin "A" is left out of the diet, eye trouble, such as night blindness and infection of the eyes has resulted.

VITAMIN "B" With Vitamin "B" from fruits a healthy nerve system is maintained. Lack of Vitamin "B" causes neuritis.

VITAMIN "C" Vital to the maintenance of sound bones and teeth. This vitamin has long been a cure for scurvy, but is still more important in overcoming body poisons.

VITAMIN "G" This is the appetite vitamin. It promotes digestion and growth which makes for healthier people.

MINERALS Essential minerals are available in fruits including Calcium, Phosphorus and Iron. These are all important elements of the body for complete health. They play a vital part in bone building and making red blood as well as keeping a balanced condition in stomach and other internal tissues.

Stark Trees Helped Sell Old Place—Wants Bigger Stark Orchard on New Farm

"I am sure our home orchard on the place we sold helped to sell the place. Our Starking Delicious and Stark Golden Delicious apple trees and our Hal-Berta Giant peach and July Elberta peach trees bore a few fruits the second year after planting. I am most anxious to get a larger orchard started on our new 80-acre farm. Please rush me your catalog, so I can get started planning my new orchard."—B. L. Powers, Pulaski Co., Ark.

Stark Orchard Cost Him \$80.00—Helps Get \$3,950 More for His Place Only 6 Years Later

"I bought about \$80.00 worth of trees from you about 5 or 6 years ago for my small place which had cost me \$550.00. I sold out for \$4,500.00. My Stark orchard helped me sell the place and make a good profit. I have bought a new place now—and will buy again from you."—Chas. A. Coleman, Pike Co., Kentucky.

Leading medical authorities are recommending apples in various forms as a definite cure for intestinal diseases of infants.

PECTIN The pectin in fruits promotes proper intestinal activity. It combines with water to form non-irritating bulk, helps to cure intestinal troubles by serving as a potent healing agent on internal membranes.

ROUGHAGE Scientific research has proved that fruits serve as a mild, gentle laxative inducing regularity. Fruit helps keep intestinal tract normal and trouble free.

ENERGY Home orchard fruits have an ample supply of dextrose sugar in pre-digested form, thus being available instantly for energy, but non-fattening. Fruit is an important factor in reducing diets.

DENTIFRICE Fruits serve as nature's toothbrush, giving gum massage and bone exercise. Dr. H. T. Knighton of the University of Louisville reported at American Dental Association that in recent tests three minutes of tooth brushing plus mouth rinsing with antiseptics killed 64.3% of mouth bacteria. Chewing apples killed 96.7% of bacteria.

"I Make 4 or 5 Times As Much Money From Stark Golden Delicious"



"My 2200 Stark Golden Delicious bore 10,051 bushels when 7 years old. 5 consecutive crops from these trees totaled 54,051 bushels."—A. O. Eckert, Ill.

"If You Want to Make a Lot of Money, Plant High-Quality Fruit Trees," says A. O. Eckert

"The money-making possibilities of Stark Golden Delicious are without comparison," continued Mr. Eckert, "and we have found during the last 40 years that there is MORE MONEY in growing high-quality, tree-ripened fruit than in any other farm crop."

"My Stark Golden Delicious started to bear young—a few apples at 3 or 4 years old—and by the time they were 6 or 7-year-old were in heavy production. We harvested from these 2200 7 years old Stark Golden Delicious—five (5) consecutive crops totaling 54,051 bushels."

"I used to raise about 1,000 hogs a year and sold country cured hams, but I gave that up and now devote all of my time to growing fruit. I find that if you want to make a good living and a little money, you raise hogs. If you want to make a good living and a lot of money, you grow tree-ripened 'quality' fruit—and plant only 'quality' trees from Stark Record-Bearing parents."

10 EXCLUSIVE BENEFITS

Results Show Why Stark Trees Are the Lowest Priced Trees on Earth!

1 Stark Trees Bear Quicker—1, 2 or 3 Years Sooner, often when only 2 years old.

2 Stark Record-Bearing Strains Bear Best, because they come from finest Parent Trees.

3 Stark Customers Get "Miracle" Fruit—Created by Stark and Burbank, Wizard of Horticulture.

4 Every Stark Tree is Guaranteed to arrive safely at your shipping point—or we Replace FREE. 3-Way Guarantee.

5 Every Stark Tree is True to Name—Stark Head Propagator makes Affidavit yearly.

6 Stark Customers Get All the Roots, because we dig with Stark Patent Power Digger.

7 Stark Big, Husky-Rooted Trees Grow Faster, because grown by Stark Trade-Marked "Old Oak Process" Reg. U.S. Pat. Off.

8 Stark Trees are Super-Quality—they are Grown by Experts. Backed by Experience of 6 Generations—136 Years.

9 Stark Tree Roots are Protected From the Sun and Wind by Covered Vans and Cool, Dark Packing Houses.

10 Every Stark Shipment Carries State Inspection Certificate, and every tree is inspected 5 times before shipment.

Extra Profits from Stark Patented and Trade-Marked Varieties

An official nation-wide survey on Apple varieties made by the American Pomological Society recently revealed that Stark Patented and Trade-Marked Varieties are top favorites from Coast to Coast. Starking Delicious and Stark Golden Delicious were first, with Jonared, Scarlet Staymared, etc. next in order of preference. This preference adds millions of dollars every year to the profits of growers because the public eagerly pays Premium Prices for this Larger, More Deliciously FLAVORED, More Beautifully COLORED Fruit. And just think!—You can now grow YOUR OWN STARK FRUIT right in your own back yard when you buy Genuine Stark Trees.

What Stark "Record-Bearing" Strains Mean to You

Each variety of Fruit Tree we now offer is propagated from the best Parent Tree possible to locate. These Parent Trees are scientifically selected after years of careful research, testing and record-keeping of tree and fruit characteristics.

Every farmer knows that he gets bigger crops from Hybrid Seed Corn and gets finer livestock from thoroughbred parents. He knows that Stark Trees, propagated direct-in-line from our "Record-Bearing Strain" Parents, assure finer fruits, bigger crops and quicker profits.

Every New Stark Variety Is Pre-Tested for You

Before a New Fruit or Plant is offered to Stark Customers, it must stand this test: It must prove itself to be an IMPROVEMENT over any similar variety in the famous Stark-Burbank Test Orchards, where virtually ALL Leading Varieties are growing for comparison.

After it has successfully stood this test, it is sent to Experiment Stations and leading growers for further testing in different types of soil and under different climatic conditions before Stark Bro's introduce it. This is further assurance that Stark Trees and Plants will succeed for you, no matter where you live.

Look HOW EASY It Is to Order from Stark Bro's Stark Bro's Nurseries & Orchards Co. Is as Near You as Your Closest Mail Box

TERMS—You can send all Cash With Order or send 25% Down Payment. Check the payment plan you wish on Order Blank—either the CASH-With-Order Plan, C.O.D. Plan or Easy TIME-PAYMENT PLAN.

HOW TO SEND PAYMENT. It is best and safest to send remittance to Stark Bro's by Check, Postal Money Order, Express Money Order or Bank Draft.

IMPORTANT: Write both Variety NUMBER and NAME shown above price schedules when ordering.

WHEN TO PLANT. Select the Planting Season you prefer—FALL or SPRING—and check your wishes on Order Blank. We will ship at the right time for planting in your section, during the season you select. Most customers prefer to leave the exact date of shipment to our judgment. We recommend Only Spring Planting in Far Northern States, such as Minn., Montana, etc.

SAVE ON 10-RATE PRICES. Order 10 or More Trees and use the 10-Rate Prices.

ON 50 or MORE TREES, SHRUBS OR PLANTS, send list of your needs to Stark Bro's Commercial-Wholesale Dept., Louisiana, Mo., for SPECIAL ESTIMATE.

EASY MONTHLY PAYMENTS. You can buy Stark Nursery Stock on the Easy Monthly Payment Plan.

Free Trees to Cover Your Transportation Cost Included with Your Order

Stark Bro's will include Free, with Customer's Shipment of Nursery Stock purchased at prices quoted in this catalog, enough Top-Quality Stark World's Champion Nursery Stock to Cover Transportation Costs the customer pays when his shipment arrives. Only nursery doing this as far as we know. SELECTED BY OUR EXPERTS. Free Transportation Nursery Stock will be selected by Stark Experts to thrive in your locality.

How to Select Varieties

HARDINESS—After descriptions in catalog, key letters—NCS—show region where the variety grows successfully—NN means Far North; N, North; C, Central; S, South; hence NCS means it grows well North, Central, South.

POLLINATION—There are probably enough Fruit Trees growing near you to pollinate those you plant. To make sure of cross-pollination select different varieties. It is best to plant at least 2 Apple varieties, 2 or more Pear, Plum, Sweet Cherry and Peach.

\$5.00 MINIMUM ORDER. Stark Bro's lose money on orders totaling less than \$5.00. In the event order totals less than \$5.00, please add 50c to the total to help cover cost of handling. This applies to Stark Nursery Stock only—not to Stark Tre-Pep, Orchard Fertilizer, Spray Materials, Strawberries.



JUDGE JAMES STARK Founder 1818 WILLIAM STARK 1827-1880 CLARENCE STARK 1855-1884 EDGAR STARK 1855-1885 JUDGE EUGENE STARK 1885-1900 TOM STARK 1887-1948 STICKNEY STARK 1900-1908 GOV. LLOYD STARK Chairman of Board CLAY STARK President PAUL STARK Vice Pres. LAWRENCE STARK Sec'y. and Treas. EDWIN STARK Vice Pres. JOHN STARK LOGAN Asst. Sec'y-Treas. JOHN STARK Asst. Sec. PAUL STARK, JR. Asst. Treas.

America's Greatest Family of Nurserymen - 6 Generations of Starks - With 137 Years Experience

Trees of KNOWN PARENTAGE — "Record-Bearing" Strains — Yield Bigger, Better Fruit SOONER — Every Stark Tree Is GUARANTEED By the World's Largest Nurseries

When you buy your Fruit Trees from Stark Bro's—you get every benefit and advantage of more than 136 years of leadership in the Fruit and Plant World. Stark Bro's have developed and introduced more valuable, successful, famous New Fruits than all other nurseries combined.

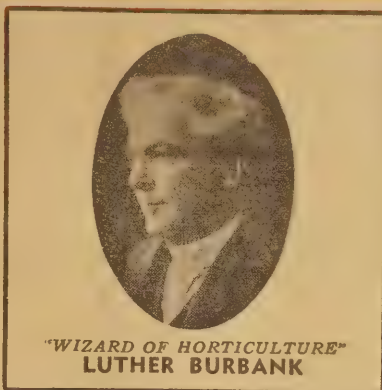
Stark Trees and Plants pass 5 inspections. Official State Inspectors regularly check and certify all Stark Nursery Trees and Plants. Before shipment they must be again inspected and approved by our superintendent. Five times these trees must pass inspection at the hands of experts who have definite instructions to throw out every tree that does not measure up to the high standards we have set. This is your assurance that every Stark Tree and Plant is as near perfect as a tree or plant can be.

STARK'S 3-WAY GUARANTEE ON ALL TREES AND PLANTS

1. **GUARANTEED** that every Stark Tree and Plant you receive is true to name or money back, free from disease, State-inspected and in good, live planting condition.
2. **GUARANTEED** that every Stark Tree or Plant arriving in unsatisfactory condition will be replaced **ABSOLUTELY FREE**, provided you notify us by letter within 2 weeks from date you receive it.
3. **GUARANTEED** that, if any Stark Tree or Plant that is given reasonable care does not grow the first Summer, we will share the loss with you by replacing it at 1/2 your cost, provided you notify us before September 1st following planting. *(See "True to Name" on Order Blank.)

Introduced More Fruits than ALL Others

Hon. E. P. Powell, famous Horticultural author, wrote:— "There are two kinds of men dealing with Fruit Evolution. One of these is the Burbank sort, applying science to the



"WIZARD OF HORTICULTURE"
LUTHER BURBANK

development of new sorts. If Burbanks are wizards, Stark Bro's are the Saviors." Stark Bro's have unquestionably introduced more valuable, successful, famous New Fruits than all other nurseries combined.

Sole Heirs to Luther Burbank's Amazing New Fruit Miracles

When Luther Burbank, the Master Plant Breeder, realized that the end of his remarkable work was near, he named Stark Bro's exclusively to continue his world-famous experiments. And Stark Bro's alone were selected by the Wizard of Horticulture to introduce his new discoveries and creations to fruit and plant growers everywhere.

Men of little faith scoffed at Luther Burbank when, in 1893, he printed his first little catalog of "New Creations" in Plant and Fruit Life—including new fruits, larger and more beautiful and far more delicious than had ever before been known. But a small handful of kindred Pioneers possessed the faith and foresight to recognize the genius of this Maker of Miracles. Outstanding among these Pioneers were the nationally known Nurserymen, Orchardists and Horticulturists, the Stark Brothers.

Helped By Stark Bro's From The Start

The Fourth Generation of Stark Nurserymen in Missouri had not only the birthright and background to give them faith in Luther Burbank, they also were able to back up this faith with financial support at the very time when Burbank's future and the future of his history-making fruit and plant creations hung on that support.

The Stark Brothers bought from Luther Burbank the sole rights to the **FIRST TREES** of "New Creations" the Wizard of Horticulture ever sold. For these exclusive rights Stark Bro's paid the Master Plant Breeder what at that time was the fabulous sum of \$9,000.00.

As a consequence of this vision and financial support and because, in all the world, the Stark Family was the one best equipped by tradition and experience to carry on this miraculous work, Stark Bro's Nurseries—and Stark Bro's alone—were chosen by Luther Burbank to spread his great work throughout the world.

Today, over 100 years after the birth of Luther Burbank, Stark Bro's are proud to share with you the greatest achievements of "The Green-Thumbed Pioneer" whose great intellect, boundless imagination and patient hands gave the world the most remarkable new kinds of Plums, Plumcots, Peaches, Cherries, Quinces and other fruits ever developed for the greater happiness and health of mankind.

SAVE MONEY—25%—on These Special Low-Priced INTRODUCTORY OFFER ASSORTMENTS

All Trees are Top Quality. Regular Size Apple and Pear Trees are 4 to 5 ft.; Cherry, Peach, Plum and Apricot are 3 to 4 ft. Super-Size Apple and Pear Trees are 5 to 7 ft. size; Cherry, Peach, Plum and Apricot Trees are 4 to 6 ft. size.

In the event any variety is exhausted, our Horticultural Experts will select another of equal or greater value.

"BIG 6 LEADER" APPLES

Assortment No. F-1 Only \$11.63

* Regular Size Top Quality Stark Trees
REGULAR PRICE \$15.50 — YOU SAVE \$3.87

When Ordering, Just Write—ASSORTMENT No. F-1—\$11.63

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| 1 Stark Golden Delicious Apple | 1 Starking Delicious Apple |
| 1 Stark Jonared Apple | 1 Stark RedGold Apple |
| 1 Stark Dbl. Red Rome Beauty | 1 Scarlet Staymared Apple |

**Also in Super-Size Trees for ONLY \$12.75

"Special Choice 6" Fall & Winter Apples

Assortment No. F-2 Only \$10.84

* Regular Size Top Quality Stark Trees
REGULAR PRICE \$14.45 — YOU SAVE \$3.61

When Ordering, Just Write—ASSORTMENT No. F-2—\$10.84

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| 1 Stark JonGrimes Apple | 1 Scarlet Staymared Apple |
| 1 Jon-A-Red Apple | 1 Rome Beauty, Dbl.-Red Apple |
| 1 Grimes Golden Dbl.-Life Apple | 1 York-A-Red Apple |

**Also in Super-Size Trees for ONLY \$11.96

"SELECT SUMMER 6" APPLES

Assortment No. F-3 Only \$8.78

* Regular Size Top Quality Stark Trees
REGULAR PRICE \$11.70 — YOU SAVE \$2.92

When Ordering, Just Write—ASSORTMENT No. F-3—\$8.78

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| 1 Early Red Bird Apple | 1 Early McIntosh Apple |
| 1 Yellow Transparent Apple | 1 Lodi, Early Golden Apple |
| 1 Wealthy Double-Red Apple | 1 Summer Champion Apple |

**Also in Super-Size Trees for ONLY \$9.90

For All 3 Assortments Above \$30.00
REGULAR PRICE \$41.65 — YOU SAVE \$11.65

WORLD'S CHAMPION APPLES

Assortment No. F-4 Only \$21.23

* Regular Size Top Quality Stark Trees
REGULAR PRICE \$28.30 — YOU SAVE \$7.07

When Ordering, Just Write—ASSORTMENT No. F-4—\$21.23

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| 1 Stark RedGold Apple, New | 1 Double-Red Rome Beauty |
| 1 Stark Golden Delicious Apple | 1 Early Red Bird Apple |
| 1 Starking Delicious Apple | 1 Lodi, Early Golden Apple |
| 1 Stark Jonared Apple | 1 Summer Champion Apple |
| 1 Stark JonGrimes Apple | 1 Early McIntosh Apple |
| 1 Scarlet Staymared Apple | 1 Virginia Crab Apple |

**Also in Super-Size Trees for ONLY \$23.48

New Extra Hardy Home Yard Orchard

Assortment No. F-5 Only \$38.02

* Regular Size Top Quality Stark Trees
REGULAR PRICE \$50.70 — YOU SAVE \$12.68

- When Ordering, Just Write—ASSORTMENT No. F-5—\$38.02
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| 1 Stark Golden Delicious Apple | 1 Wealthy, Double-Red Apple |
| 1 Starking Delicious Apple | 1 Winesap Apple |
| 1 Stark RedGold Apple—New | 1 Stark Florence Crab Apple |
| 1 Jonared, Dbl.-Red Jonathan | 1 Sure-Crop Peach |
| 1 Scarlet Staymared Apple | 1 Stanley Plum |
| 1 JonGrimes Apple | 1 Starking Hardy Giant Cherry |
| 1 Stark Dbl.-Red Rome Beauty | 1 Mont. Stark Red Pie Cherry |
| 1 Early Red Bird Apple | 1 Stark Gold Sweet Cherry |
| 1 Lodi, Early Golden Apple | 1 Grapes—2 Red, 1 White, |
| 1 Early McIntosh Apple | 2 Blue |

**Also in Super-Size Trees for ONLY \$41.29

HALF ACRE SPECIAL HOME ORCHARD

Assortment No. F-6 Only \$68.81

* Regular Size Top Quality Stark Trees
REGULAR PRICE \$91.75 — YOU SAVE \$22.94

Best Varieties, ripe from early to late.

When Ordering, Just Write—ASSORTMENT No. F-6—\$68.81

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| 2 Stark Golden Delicious Apple | 1 Montclair Red Pie Cherry |
| 2 Starking Delicious Apple | 1 Mont. Stark Red Pie Cherry |
| 1 Stark RedGold Apple—New | 1 Wilson Delicious Apricot |
| 1 Scarlet Staymared Apple | 1 Lincoln Pear |
| 2 Jonared Apple | 1 Bartlett Pear |
| 1 Double-Red Rome Beauty | 1 Starking Delicious Peach |
| 1 Early Red Bird Apple | 1 Burbank July Elberta Peach |
| 1 Lodi, Early Golden Apple | 1 Stark Early Elberta Peach |
| 1 Wealthy, Double-Red Apple | 1 Golden Elberta Cling Peach |
| 1 Stark Florence Crab Apple | 1 Honeydew Hale Peach |
| 1 Burbank Great Yellow Plum | 1 Hal-Berta Giant Peach |
| 1 Starking Delicious Plum | 1 Early Flame Fuzzless Peach |
| 1 Stark Gold Sweet Cherry | 3 Blue Grape (2-year) |
| 1 Starking Hardy Giant Cherry | 3 White Grape (2-year) |
| | 3 Red Grape (2-year) |

**Also in Super-Size Trees for ONLY \$72.26

"SUPER-6 LEADER" PEACHES

Assortment No. F-8 Only \$12.75

* Regular Size Top Quality Stark Trees
REGULAR PRICE \$17.00 — YOU SAVE \$4.25

When Ordering, Just Write—ASSORTMENT No. F-8—\$12.75

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| 1 Honeydew Hale Peach | 1 Burbank July Elberta Peach |
| 1 Starking Delicious Peach | 1 Stark Red J. H. Hale |
| 1 Stark Early Elberta Peach | 1 Hal-Berta Giant Peach |

**Also in Super-Size Trees for ONLY \$13.88

STARK GOLD MEDAL PEACHES

Assortment No. F-9 Only \$18.15

* Regular Size Top Quality Stark Trees
REGULAR PRICE \$24.20 — YOU SAVE \$6.05

When Ordering, Just Write—ASSORTMENT No. F-9—\$18.15

One tree each of the 10 Best Peaches in the world today—provides luscious yellow fleshed peaches, early to late.

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| 1 Starking Delicious Peach | 1 Golden Elberta Cling Peach |
| 1 Golden Jubilee Peach | 1 Stark Elberta Queen Peach |
| 1 Burbank July Elberta Peach | 1 Hal-Berta Giant Peach |
| 1 Halehaven Peach | 1 Shippers Late Red Peach |
| 1 Stark Early Elberta Peach | 1 Stark Late Elberta Peach |

**Also in Super-Size Trees for ONLY \$20.25

SPECIAL 10 TREE ASSORTMENT

Assortment No. F-10 Only \$20.32

* Regular Size Top Quality Stark Trees
REGULAR PRICE \$27.10 — YOU SAVE \$6.78

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| 1 Stark Golden Delicious Apple | 1 Lincoln Pear |
| 1 Starking Delicious Apple | 1 Omaha Plum |
| 1 Jonared Apple | 1 Mont. Stark Red Pie Cherry |
| 1 Summer Champion Apple | 1 Burbank July Elberta Peach |
| 1 Early Red Bird Apple | 1 Hal-Berta Giant Peach |

Also in Super-Size Trees for ONLY \$22.20

BIG COMPLETE 1 ACRE FARM HOME FAMILY ORCHARD AND VINEYARD

Assortment No. F-7 Only \$122.29

* Regular Size Top Quality Stark Trees
REGULAR PRICE \$163.05 — YOU SAVE \$40.76

When Ordering, Just Write—ASSORTMENT No. F-7—\$122.29

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| 4 Stark Golden Delicious Apple | 2 Montclair Red Pie Cherry |
| 4 Starking Delicious Apple | 2 Mont. Stark Red Pie Cherry |
| 2 Scarlet Staymared Apple | 1 Gold \$3000.00 Plum |
| 3 Jonared Apple | 1 Omaha Plum |
| 2 Stark RedGold Apple—New | 1 Starking Delicious (new) Plum |
| 2 Stark Dbl.-Red Rome Beauty | 1 Burbank's Great Yellow Plum |
| 1 York-A-Red Apple | 1 Bartlett Pear |
| 1 McIntosh, Double-Red Apple | 1 Lincoln Pear |
| 1 Grimes Golden, "Double-Life" | 1 Stark Sure-Crop Peach—New |
| 1 Early Red Bird Apple | 1 Starking Delicious Peach |
| 1 Lodi, Early Golden Apple | 1 Golden Jubilee Peach |
| 1 Summer Champion Apple | 1 Early Flame Fuzzless Peach |
| 2 Early McIntosh Apple | 1 Early White Giant Peach |
| 1 Wealthy, Double-Red Apple | 1 Burbank July Elberta Peach |
| 1 Stark JonGrimes Apple | 1 Stark Early Elberta Peach |
| 1 Winesap Apple | 1 Golden Elberta Cling Peach |
| 1 Stark Florence Crab Apple | 1 Honeydew Hale Peach |
| 1 Wilson Delicious Apricot | 2 Hal-Berta Giant Peach |
| 1 Stark Gold Sweet Cherry | 12 Blue Grape (2-year) |
| 1 Starking Hardy Giant Cherry | 12 White Grape (2-year) |
| | 12 Red Grape (2-year) |

**Also in Super-Size Trees for ONLY \$132.04

"Demonstration Orchards" To Introduce Stark New and Patented Varieties

Knowing the value of these remarkable new fruits we make the following Special Prices on Demonstration Orchards to encourage the planting of Advertising Orchards of new Stark varieties in each community. Purchasers to be first class, reliable and agree to take good care of the trees, and report to us when they bear.

20 BIG TREES ONLY \$38.40

HONEYDEW HALE Peach—New Miracle Peach, U.S. Patent GIANT White Flesh Freestone. Top Shipper. 3 to 4 ft.

Regular VALUE \$64.00 — YOU SAVE \$25.60

20 BIG TREES ONLY \$38.40

STARKING DELICIOUS Peach—Earliest TOP Quality Yellow Freestone. U. S. Patent. 3 to 4 ft.

Regular VALUE \$64.00 — YOU SAVE \$25.60

Also in 4 to 6 ft. Super-Size Trees for ONLY \$42.00

20 BIG TREES ONLY \$32.40

REDGOLD Apple, New Brilliant Red Hybrid of Stark Golden Delicious. U.S. Patent. 4 to 5 ft.

Regular VALUE \$54.00 — YOU SAVE \$21.60

Also in 5 to 7 ft. Super-Size Trees for ONLY \$36.00

20 CHERRY ONLY \$48.00

10 Trees STARKING HARDY GIANT—Red Sweet, U. S. Patent. 10 Trees STARK GOLD—Golden Sweet. Trade-Mark. 3 to 4 ft.

Regular VALUE \$80.00 — YOU SAVE \$32.00

Also in 4 to 6 ft. Super-Size Trees for ONLY \$51.00

Genuine BURBANK
Varieties Sold ONLY
by STARK BRO'S
Louisiana, Mo.

PLANT this FALL!

Enjoy Glorious, Spectacular Early Spring Color Around Your Home

NEW LUTHER BURBANK ROSE TREES

Bear Spectacular Blossoms and
Delicious Peaches. U. S. Patent.
Trees Sold ONLY by Stark Bro's.

In early Spring Burbank's Double Rose-Flowering Peach Trees create a sensation with their spectacular masses of colorful bloom. One of our customers in Chicago told us they stop traffic on his street when they are in bloom. They also bear delicious freestone peaches. Start to bloom and bear when only 2 years old and will thrive in any climate where peach trees grow.

Both "Santa Rosa" (Red) and "Orchid" (Pink) are prized for planting in Shrub Borders, along Driveways, as Specimen Lawn Trees and for Mass plantings. Semi-Dwarf.

"You Did Not Do Justice to Santa Rosa Double-Flowering Peach in Your Catalog," wrote Mrs. M. E. Pluck of Ohio. "You merely say it is edible. It is the best flavored peach, produces more fruit and outdoes every tree I have."

Planted for Beauty of Bloom Alone — Also Got Fruit. "I planted both Santa Rosa (Red) and Orchid (Pink) Double-Flowering Peach Trees for the beauty of their rose-like blossoms. Now they are bearing peaches which are so honey-sweet and delicious they are prized by my family for eating and also for canning." J. W. Minihan, Mo.

PRICES C637. Santa Rosa Rose-Flowering Peach (Red).
C638. ORCHID Rose-Flowering Peach (Pink).

4-6 ft. Trees.....	\$3.75 Each
3-4 ft. Trees.....	\$3.50 Each
2-3 ft. Trees.....	\$3.20 Each



WHY SUCH A LARGE PERCENTAGE OF STARK BRO'S BUSINESS EVERY YEAR COMES FROM FORMER STARK CUSTOMERS

Began Picking Fruit 1 Year After Planting. "When my trees were only 1 year old I began picking Peaches, Plums, Cherries and Pears from them. I gathered ½ bushel of Grapes from 3 vines—1 year old.

"I have never seen trees grow as fast and bear as young. I am enclosing a snapshot showing one of my peach trees. I feel that Stark Bro's trees and shrubbery enabled me to sell my place. People were quick to see the advantage of using Fruit Trees to provide shade, beauty and fruit."—L. E. Sooter, Okla.

Thank You for Such Fine, Large Trees. "They were the finest I have ever seen anywhere. I have bought from several other reliable nurseries, but their trees look sick compared to yours."—Edward H. Blanks, Va.

Amazed at Size of Trees and Shrubs. "Our Fruit Trees and Shrubs have all arrived and been set out. It has already made a difference in the permanent look of our home. We were amazed at size of trees and shrubs and excellent condition of roots."—Fernetta Lusher, Ind.

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LETTER!

STARK BRO'S NURSERIES & ORCHARDS CO. Largest in the World — at Louisiana, Mo. Since 1816.



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America's Greatest Family of Nurserymen-6 Generations of Starks-With 137 Years Experience



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STARK BROS HAVE BEEN
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LUTHER BURBANK TO CARRY
ON HIS WORLD FAMOUS
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Stark Bro's Nurseries & Orchards Co. Fruit Trees & Ornamentals Louisiana, Missouri.

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LOUISIANA, MISSOURI

PLANT NOW FOR HEALTH AND SECURITY IN THE YEARS AHEAD --
PLANT THIS SPRING AND GAIN A FULL YEAR

Dear Friend:

The best time of all to plant Fruit Trees, Ornamental Trees and Flowering Shrubs is **RIGHT NOW** -- this Spring! The finest investment for the future is the orchard or even the single Tree you plant today!

For best results -- for greatest yield -- for outstanding fruit year after year, you must choose carefully the trees you plant. Make sure they are healthy, hardy stock in the newest, most profitable varieties. And these will be Stark Old Oak Process Whole-Root Trees -- obtainable only from Stark Bro's at Louisiana, Missouri.

And to encourage our friends to plant more trees NOW -- this Spring -- Stark Bro's are making a Sensational Offer -- free gift trees of our choicest varieties will be added to your order without one cent of extra cost to you. See complete facts on Free Tree Certificate on back page. But hurry -- this Offer is good only on orders mailed before midnight, April 30, 1953.

Save a Year. By planting this Spring, you will be saving a year's growth -- you'll be getting fruit a whole year sooner. Don't miss this opportunity to protect your family's health in the years to come, when food of all kinds may be rationed and difficult to get. All of us remember what happened during World War II -- and, fortunately, now you can do something this time to protect yourself should the same conditions occur again.

Dollars in Your Pocket. After growing enough to supply your family needs and those of your friends, you can sell the surplus at a handsome profit every year. Stark New Varieties bear earlier, of course, and our exclusive new sorts always bring top-of-market prices.

And to help you even more, Stark Bro's offer their Easy Payment Plan, which allows you to pay for your trees while they are growing. Buy all the trees you need NOW and get them started, and then pay for them at intervals that will be easy on your budget.

Make your home even more attractive, even more livable. Plant your Stark Shade Trees, Vines, Shrubs and other Ornamentals **THIS SPRING** -- and save by ordering now. You can bring glorious color to your home from early Spring to late Fall by planting Stark's sturdy, well-rooted Ornamentals. Even a few dollars spent in Stark Roses, Vines and Shrubs will add hundreds of dollars to your property value -- and help make your home one of the most attractive in the neighborhood.

You will be especially interested in the Exclusive Patented Stark Bro's DWARF APPLE TREES -- so small that you can plant a Dwarf Apple Tree in as little space as 10 feet square -- so productive

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that one tree usually yields a full bushel or more of full-size fruit, equal in flavor and color to fruit grown on bigger trees -- so sturdy they need no staking or bracing. And they usually start bearing one or two full years sooner than other trees! These DWARF FRUIT TREES, available in twelve favorite varieties, are ideal for a small backyard or any other small plot that can quickly be transformed into a beautiful, income-producing orchard.

ORDER NOW -- ACT WHILE STOCKS ARE COMPLETE

Because fine Fruit Trees are today's top investment for the future, the great, increased demand for Stark Fruit Trees means that we are preparing to ship tremendous quantities of all Stark Varieties in time for Spring planting. Some varieties already are short in supply -- others will become equally scarce. For this reason, we suggest that you ORDER NOW and be sure you get the varieties you want.

ORDER NOW -- while you can still plant THIS SPRING. Get Fruit a whole year QUICKER. Order NOW -- while the 20% FREE BONUS TREE OFFER is still in force -- see 20% Free Bonus Tree Certificate below. Rush your order to us TODAY. We will, of course, ship at the right time for planting in your community.

Sincerely yours,

STARK BRO'S NURSERIES

Lloyd C. Stark

National Sales Director

Attach to Order

No. 3153

20%
BONUS TREE
CERTIFICATE

GOOD ONLY UNTIL APRIL 30th, 1953

Offered to Encourage Every American Family to Plant Stark Quicker-Bearing Fruit Trees, Berries, etc. for Health and Security.

Order now -- and get a 20% FREE Tree Bonus from Stark Bro's. Place your order before April 30th and receive FREE TREE BONUS as follows:

\$ 2.20 worth of bonus trees if order totals \$10.00 or more
\$ 3.00 worth of bonus trees if order totals \$15.00 or more
\$ 4.00 worth of bonus trees if order totals \$20.00 or more
\$ 5.00 worth of bonus trees if order totals \$25.00 or more
\$ 6.00 worth of bonus trees if order totals \$30.00 or more
\$ 8.00 worth of bonus trees if order totals \$40.00 or more
\$10.00 worth of bonus trees if order totals \$50.00 or more

SELECT YOUR BONUS TREES From LIST BELOW

Free Apple
Golden
Delicious
Jon-A-Red
RedGold

Free Peach
Hal-Berta
Halehaven

Free Cherry
Montmor-
ency-Stark
Stark Gold

Free Pear
Lincoln
Kieffer

Notice—This offer applies only on orders purchased at prices in this catalog and is so liberal that it cannot be allowed unless each FREE tree is listed on the order. Please do not ask us to make any change in any order sent to us previously. No Free Dwarf Trees.

Should any variety of free stock listed above be exhausted, our experts will select a similar variety of equal value.



JAMES STARK 1864-1914 WILLIAM STARK 1871-1900 CLARENCE STARK 1880-1914 EDGAR STARK 1880-1900 JUDITH EUGENE STARK 1880-1900 TOM STARK 1880-1900 STICKNEY STARK 1880-1900 BOY LLOYD STARK 1880-1900 CLAY STARK 1880-1900 PAUL STARK 1880-1900 LAWRENCE STARK 1880-1900 EDWIN STARK 1880-1900 JOHN STARK LOGAN 1880-1900 JOHN STARK 1880-1900 PAUL STARK, JR. 1880-1900

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**HERE'S A WONDERFUL MONEY SAVING SURPRISE
PLUS IMPORTANT PLANTING HINTS YOU'LL WANT TO FOLLOW!**

Dear Stark Friend:

Folks often write to Stark Bro's and ask, "What is the BEST time of the year to plant my Stark Fruit Trees, Shrubs, Vines, Roses and Shade Trees?" We think you'll find Stark Bro's answer to this question helpful in planning your home and orchard plantings:

Based on our long experience and constant research . . . we recommend fall planting as the very best time of the year to set out your Stark Fruit Trees, and Home Beautifying Nursery Stock in your part of the country. Planting in the fall gives your trees, shrubs, vines and roses a real opportunity to take root in the soil . . . assures full benefit of the early spring rains . . . gives every growing thing a flying start when the weather turns warm in the spring! You often gain a full year's growth by planting in the fall.

The time to order your Stark Fruit Trees and Landscape Ornamentals is RIGHT NOW. You'll be sure of full selections of the most popular varieties while our stock is complete. We're especially proud of our Stark nursery stock this year . . . growing conditions have been excellent, assuring extra-large, extra-full root systems that are ideal for planting this fall in your yard or orchard.

Our Stark friends who order NOW profit still another way! As a special inducement to help us plan our shipments ahead of time, and to be sure you gain the advantages of fall planting, we are extending our special "Early Customer Offer" to you! I won't take space here to tell you about it . . . so be sure to refer to the Special Offer Coupon on the reverse side of this letter for details. This offer is good for a limited time only.

STARK SUPER QUALITY FRUIT GIVES PLEASURE . . . HELPS CUT HOME FOOD COSTS

Just picture the big, luscious, vitamin packed Stark Apples, Pears, Peaches, Plums, Cherries and other world famous super quality fruit GROWING ON YOUR OWN TREES! You can grow better fruit than you can buy when you plant Stark U.S. Patented and Trade Marked varieties, developed and sold exclusively by Stark Bro's — featuring the Starking Delicious Apple, Stark Golden Delicious Apple; Starking Delicious, July Elberta and Halberta Peaches; Hardy Giant, Gold Cherries, and many more.

Enjoy the pleasure and satisfaction of growing your own fruit . . . plenty for jam, jelly, preserves . . . a source of healthful, low-cost food all year long!

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Now you have your choice of many new Stark Fruit Varieties in both the amazing "Dwarf" size trees as well as the full Standard size trees. "Stark Dwarfs" mature to attractive low height for lawn planting; bring glorious colored bloom to your grounds in spring and bear wonderful size fruit later on!

PLANT YOUR STARK ORNAMENTALS IN FALL . . . ENJOY COLOR IN SPRING

Plan the outside of your home so that you'll have color from early spring to late fall. You can do it . . . and at surprising little cost . . . by planting Stark sturdy, well-rooted Shade Trees, Flowering Shrubs, luxurious Spreading Vines, lovely Roses and other Stark "Ornamentals".

You can buy with confidence when you order from Stark Bro's. Our nursery is the world's largest and America's oldest. Today our company is owned and managed by the fifth generation of the Stark family. This is our 138th year . . . you can rely on an old established firm like ours!

Count on all of us here at Stark Bro's to see that your order receives the most careful and exacting attention. Order now . . . take advantage of our "Early Customer Offer" . . . (see coupon below). Let us know which trees and nursery stock you want us to set aside for you. Shipment is always made when planting conditions are best for your particular part of the country.

P.S. If you grow . . . or plan to grow . . . fruit for profit, be sure to ask for special Commercial prices on orders of 50 trees or more.

Sincerely yours,
STARK BRO'S NURSERIES.

Lloyd C. Stark

National Sales Director.

TO ENCOURAGE A PROMPT ORDER SENSATIONAL NEW "EARLY CUSTOMER" OFFER

GOOD ONLY UNTIL OCTOBER 31ST, 1953

With your order for \$10.00 or more worth of Stark World's Champion Nursery Stock, received on or before October 31, 1953, you have the privilege of ordering ALSO

1 Genuine Cattaraugus CUTLERY SET } Retail Value **\$3.00**

Yours for ONLY 98c

Please be sure to include CASH with your order to cover this special low price of ONLY 98c

if included in your Stark Order totaling \$10.00 or more and received on or before October 31, 1953



Fork 10½ in. long
Knife 12¾ in. long

READ ALL ABOUT THIS CUTLERY SET

A Genuine Cattaraugus Cutlery Set as illustrated at left. Slicing Knife is fashioned from high carbon vanadium steel—the same type used in the manufacture of tools for the professional trade. Blade is electrically

hardened and tempered, ground, mirror finished and hand honed.

Fork tines are fashioned from carbon steel, mirror finished. Both the blade and tine are chromium plated to protect the finish.

Handles are brown plexene and attached to the blade and tines permanently.

This Cutlery Set will be shipped SEPARATELY from your order for Nursery Stock—just as soon as we receive your order. If 98c does not accompany order we will ship the Set parcel post C.O.D.

Attach this certificate to your order.



**THIS FLAP IS GUMMED READY TO SEAL.
NO POSTAGE OR ENVELOPE NECESSARY.
FOLD, SEAL AND MAIL.**

**THIS STARK EASY PAYMENT PLAN LETS YOU PAY
FOR YOUR STARK TREES WHILE THEY GROW**

(Fill This Out for Easy Payment Plan Only—
Not Necessary on C.O.D. Plan)

AMOUNT OF ORDER	Add for Easy Payment	Pay Down With Order	Monthly Installment
\$20.00 to \$30.00	\$1.50	25%	\$5.00
\$30.01 to \$40.00	\$2.00	25%	\$5.00
\$40.01 to \$50.00	\$2.50	25%	\$5.00
\$50.01 to \$60.00	\$3.00	25%	\$6.00
\$60.01 to \$70.00	\$3.50	25%	\$7.00
\$70.01 to \$80.00	\$4.00	25%	\$8.00
\$80.01 or OVER	5%	25%	12%

Amount of order.....\$
Add for Easy Payment.....\$
(See Table at Left)
Total\$
Pay Down with order (25%).....\$
(Down Payment must accompany order)
Unpaid Balance\$

Pay balance in monthly installments starting 40 days after
shipment of stock. Upon non-payment of any installment
at its maturity, all remaining installments shall become im-
mediately due and payable.

Purchaser's Signature

Purchaser's Address

Wife's Signature

FOLD ALONG DOTTED LINE

FIRST CLASS
PERMIT No. 1
SEC. 34.9 P.L. & R.
LOUISIANA, MO.



BUSINESS REPLY ENVELOPE
No Postage Stamp Necessary if mailed in the United States
4 CENTS POSTAGE WILL BE PAID BY

**STARK BROS., MO.
NURSERIES & ORCHARDS CO.**

Please print name and address

Initials

FROM —

Have You Written
Your Name and Address?

STARK BROS. GUARANTEE
QUALITY ASSURED.

Every Stark Tree and Plant is carefully produced to highest standards
of quality. More than 157 years of horticultural tradition and expe-
rience back every tree and plant you receive from us.

1 GUARANTEED that every Stark Tree and Plant you receive is true to
name or *money back, free from disease, State-inspected and in good,
live planting condition.

2 GUARANTEED that every Stark Tree or Plant arriving in unsatis-
factory condition will be replaced ABSOLUTELY FREE, provided you
notify us by letter within 2 weeks from date you receive it.

3 GUARANTEED that, if any Stark Tree or Plant that is given reason-
able care does not grow the first Summer, we will share the loss with
you by replacing it at ½ your cost, provided you notify us before
September 1st, following planting. (*See Money Back at right)

Stark Bro's Nurseries & Orchards Co. — Louisiana, Mo.

FOLD ALONG DOTTED LINE

The signer of this order understands that in order for him to
procure genuine fully-tested and developed plant varieties listed
in this purchase agreement, and others, Stark Bro's Nurseries
& Orchards has adopted original trade-mark names for its
varieties to enable identification and ordering of the same, and
has registered its exclusive rights to such trade-marks under the
various State and Federal Laws. This applies to Stark Bro's
Starking Delicious apple trees, Stark Golden Delicious apple
trees, Scarlet Staymared apple trees, and Stark Bro's Luther
Burbank new tree and plant varieties as listed hereon and
others. Owing to the great expense of the widespread testing
and investigation of these valuable trees and plants, the pro-
tection of the same by the United States Patents, and trade-
mark registrations and the costs of their introduction, Stark
Bro's Nurseries & Orchards Co. is protecting the public as
well as itself, from the imposition and substitution often
practiced by unscrupulous dealers. This is intended among
other things to prevent unauthorized persons and fakers from
misbranding and marketing inferior trees and fruits as genu-

ine. The signer understands that all patented and trade-marked
varieties purchased under this agreement are for his own use
only and not for use by others and that asexual reproduction
and/or sale of such varieties or reproducing material therefrom
without permission from Stark Bro's Nurseries & Orchards
Co. is prohibited. Therefore, in consideration of this agree-
ment, Stark Bro's Nurseries & Orchards Co. agrees to furnish
the signer of this order the varieties named in this purchase
agreement which are herein ordered.

MONEY BACK: In the event that any nursery stock proves
to be untrue to name as labeled, if notified the first fruiting
or blooming season, Seller Company agrees, on satisfactory
proof, to refill that portion of the order untrue to name, or
at its option to refund the purchase price. Such action upon
the part of the Seller shall constitute full and complete ad-
justment and release.